

Hisshou Dungeon Unei Houhou

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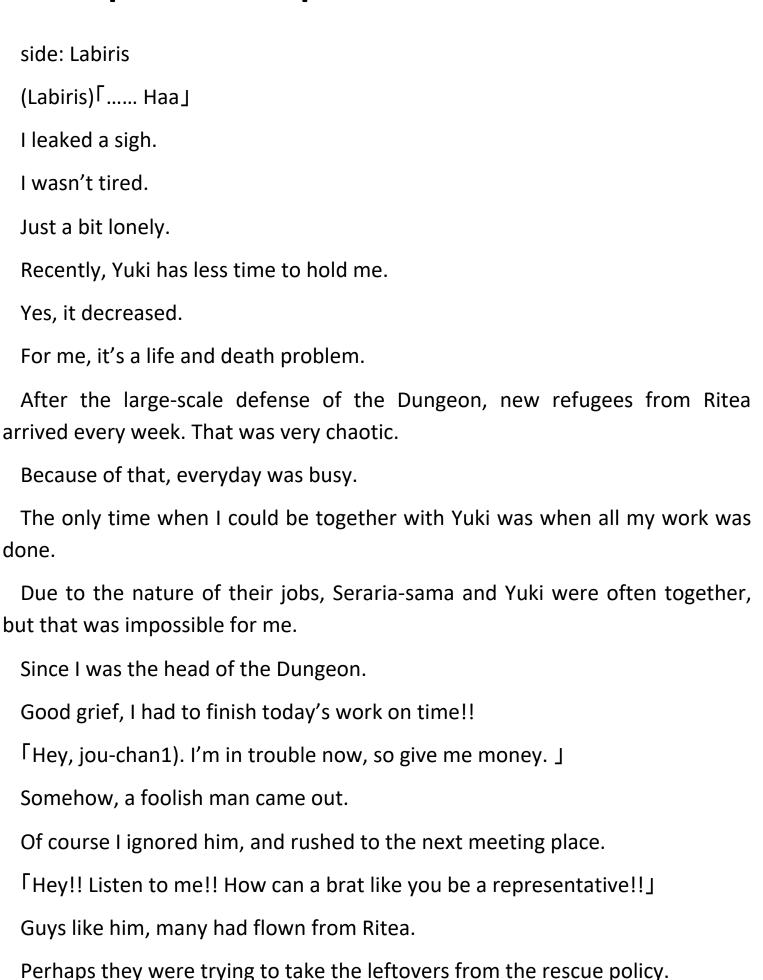
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(Labiris) Γ ... Sigh. If you have any complaints, you can do it at the next election

of representatives. I'm busy so move. J

Saying that, I left that idiot.

I had no time to talk with such a fool.

I'd be healed if I can reach Yuki even one second earlier.

That was the problem when I went out alone.

Every time, I had to make a speech to the new immigrants, so all of them already knew my face.

But whether they listened to the end is another story.

「I said to wait!! Listen, give me money!! Since you are a representative, you probably have some!!」

(Labiris) Γ ... Now I won't listen to your words. So quickly move somewhere else. I

[Oh yes!? I despise kids!!]

The men raised his fist over his head, and swung down at me.

But I didn't particularly do anything to resist.

「What!?」

Since I was under Guardian Appointment, I could receive no harm.

Yuki had already anticipated that the representatives would be the target of violence because of our roles, gender, and appearances.

Therefore, that matter was settled.

So once I received an attack, I offered advice.

(Labiris) Don't you understand? That's extortion. Because we'll go to a police patrol, follow me. J

「Don't be silly!!」

For the second time, I offered him to surrender.

Well, more likely... He fled.

(Labiris) [Yes, yes. who was trying to pick a fight? And doesn't he understand

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his own place? ]
 That said, I caught up with the fleeing man in a matter of seconds.
  「What!?」
 (Labiris) Always the same reaction, it's boring. J
 That's why, I didn't take my sword out of its sheath when I hit.
  「Gyah!?」
 The man who couldn't avoid my attack, took it straight and rolled on the
ground.
 (Labiris) Now, listen to me until the end. You'll be put into forced labor. And
after this, you'll be bounded by a slave contract that will forbid you to invade
the Dungeon. Because of our notice, every country would hereafter recognize
you to have sinned in the Dungeon. J
  [Wa-wait hey!!]
 (Labiris) Hey, patrol. Arrest this guy quickly. He got caught in flagrante
delicto2). J
  ГГНа!! I I
  [[[]]]
 Recently, I watched those events in series like they were a play.
 I'm delighted when I defeat a resident.
 ... But it's tiring.
 Well, it seemed that I wasn't the only representative targeted. The others
were regularly intercepted and blamed too.
 (Vilia) Labiris nee-chan!! J
 (Hiro) 「... Onee-chan. Are you okay?」
 When I waved to the crowd of people, Vilia and Hiro asked me.
 (Labiris) Oh, you two. Is the school today... a day off? J
 (Hiro) [Un]
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(Vilia) $^{\Gamma}$ How is everyone doing? You are always strangely assaulted... \rfloor

Vilia anxiously looked at me.

They were together at school while I was at work. We only met at lunch.

I was on good term with those two.

And they seemed to get along well with Aslin and Philia.

...... Particularly this Vilia. My intuition is whispering it to me. A woman's intuition.

Surely, she will become a good ally.

(Labiris) $^{\Gamma}$... I am okay but. With the increase of people, it's not a rare sight to witness such event. Did you two undergo such event? I mean, did anyone in the school? $^{\perp}$

(Vilia) Yes, the diligent Yuki-sensei has been cautious. Especially when we move around with money, one of the leaders always accompany us.]

(Labiris) \(\text{Which reminds me, the number of students increased and so did the number of sensei's. How are they? \(\text{J} \)

(Vilia) They are good people. The diligent Yuki-sensei and Seraria-sama selected them. So they made a tight consideration.

(Hiro) 「..... All good people. 」

Hiro said, laughing.

This girl, she looked a bit similar to me.

(Labiris) Γ It's fine if you are okay Hiro. But if anything happens, please contact me. \rfloor

(Hiro) [Ye-yes!! At that time I won't hesitate to Call you!!]

(Labiris) You don't have to be so stiff. The call is only a simplified version, and you can contact your acquaintance when you're in the mood.]

Since the number of migrants had increased, only trustworthy persons of each department received a part of the Guardian Appointment and could use the limited skill Call.

It was because we judged that representatives couldn't always be near if a problem occurred.

In addition, all the military personnel and the police could use it.

It was for crime prevention.

Since it was a simplified version, only the features of communication and video recording could be used.

It was the role of representatives to use DP and help.

(Vilia) Because Yuki-sensei trusted me, he bestowed upon me the Guardian Appointment... That's not something simple...

Vilia looked downward as she muttered, only slightly opening her mouth.

The person herself had told it to Yuki, but until now, she was a child from the slum.

I firmly thoughts, she was the kind of girl to endure for her desire.

That's why, I, Yuki, and everyone else trusted Vilia.

Oh, I just thought of something good.

(Labiris) ... Moshi moshi3), Yuki? There is a little favor I would like to ask but......]

(Hiro)[?]

(Vilia) Are you talking with Yuki-sensei? J

The two children were puzzled.

Just a moment, please!

(Hiro) Fuaa!?]

(Vilia) [Huh!?]

Oh, it was surprisingly fast.

The children were really sweet.

Both Vilia and Hiro looked surprised at the call screen.

(Labiris) Come now, quickly. Or have you forgotten how to use it? J

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(Vilia) N-no!! Etto, let's press this... ]
 (Hiro) [Yes!!]
  (Yuki) [Well, sorry sorry. Since we are seeing each other everyday, that's not a
circumstance where I think to Call.
 (Vilia) Oh, sensei!!]
 (Hiro) [Yes!!]
 (Yuki) [Yes, I can hear you. Well Vilia, now we are not at school so I'm fine
with the normal way of calling.
  (Vilia) O, onii-sama. Is that okay? Feel free to use the Call..... J
  (Yuki) [Way to go. You can use this privilege. No, you can enjoy it. Well, calling
(Vilia) [It's fine!! I am happy that I can talk with onii-sama at any time!!]
 (Hiro) Me too.. 」
  (Yuki) Okay okay, then please excuse me, but I'll return to my job. Now I'm
ending the Call.
 (Vilia) Ch, I'm sorry..... J
  (Yuki) Please feel free to come over at any time. And since now is exactly the
kind of work you'll do in the future, you two can help me. J
 (Vilia) [Eh?]
 (Hiro) 「... oh?」
 Yuki was standing behind the children, smiling at his successful mischief.
 (Labiris) That's right. You can get a good opinion if it's Vilia and Hiro. J
 (Yuki) Ah, do you think so? J
  (Vilia) Feh? Eh? What do you mean? J
  (Hiro)^{\Gamma}... Teach me anii4). J
 That way, the two were carried by Yuki and I also climbed on his shoulders.
 Yes, this is the best place.
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My usual place.
  (Vilia) [Onii-sama!?]
 (Hiro) ... It's a cuddle. ]
 Today, Yuki wasn't cuddling Aslin and Philia.
 (Yuki) [1'll explain as we walk. Well, have you already explained it to Vilia and
Hiro? Things about the Adventurer District.. J
 (Vilia) Fetto, the small Dungeons aren't built, so there almost no activity,
right?]
 (Labiris) You're right. Besides, we still only have immigrants, and the
adventurers have yet to gather. But I guess, soon... J
  (Yuki) We actually build them steadily day by day. We contacted the
Adventurer Guild and started to pull adventurers from Ritea. Because of that,
we actually have to do trials of the Dungeons. J
 (Vilia) ... What does this have to do with us? 1
 (Yuki) Well, strictly speaking, nothing. But actually, in the Dungeon District,
we heard stories about children who want to actively participate in the
Dungeon. J
 (Vilia) Definitely not!? I can't fight a monster!? J
  (Hiro) [... I don't want to fight with Surakichi. ]
  ... Hiro, it's impossible for you to beat Surakichi.
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He's the strongest monster in this Dungeon.

that there is no risk of injury...]

(Vilia) Uhhh..... J

Surakichi.

No, when playing with children, Surakichi didn't lose to anyone else.

In a sense, it was only the children from the school who could defeat

(Yuki) Tit's fine Vilia. It's a meeting to put together practice tests. I know you

are afraid, but can you try it once? Because it's for Children, I want to be sure

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Mou, did she need another push?
  (Labiris) Villa. If you do your best, you can stay with Yuki. J
  (Vilia)<sup>[!!?]</sup>
  (Labiris) Sounds good, Yuki? J
  (Yuki) Well, I guess. The school would be disturbed because of it but its fine. I
already had the thought of bringing someone along. All good. J
  (Vilia) I will do my best!! I will defeat all monsters necessary and capture the
Dungeon!!]
  (Hiro) Yes, I'll call Surakichi to help out. !
  (Labiris) To call Surakichi is no good, okay? J
  (Hiro) [Yes]
 That's no good, Surakichi would trample on the Dungeon..... It was hard on
our mind to make one, so to make a second?
 This Dungeon was like a stronghold for the children.
  (Vilia) 「... Stay. I will stay at onii-sama's room...... 」
  I would have never known that this was the beginning of the her new title.
Adventurer princess, Vilia.
  ... That's not a bad thing right?
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But for some reason, I had a bad feeling.

Chapter 72 - Military Work

Side: Seraria

(Seraria) Fuu, today is the assessment of the Dungeons. J

I looked through the last form and applied the stamp.

The stamp was useful.

If you sign dozens of paper with hand it's hard.

And then, I divided the documents to the appropriate place.

(Seraria) Now, let's eat lunch and set for the adventurer Guild? J

(Kur) ^ΓYes, exactly. J

Kur was also working steadily as my subordinate.

Even now, she assisted me as a military representative of the Dungeon.

(Seraria) 「Hey, Kur. 」

(Kur) What would it be? J

(Seraria) From your eyes, how do you see our force? Are you getting used to this Dungeon? We've been here for almost two months. Somehow, no matter how much I see it lately, I feel like there's something wrong. J

Yes, one month passed since the defensive battle.

We had come here one month before the defense.

This past month, we had accepted many immigrants and that brought various trouble for the military patrol.

Idiots were everywhere.

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(Kur) 「... Let's see. Can I be honest? 」
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(Seraria) Yes, please clearly say what you have in mind. Saying what matters is important.]

Some of my personnel was dissatisfied, so I planned to replace them with people from my remaining unit in Rochelle.

I was conscious that I acted quite irrational so far.

Especially in the defense, no matter how higher our level was, we had still

fought against about more than 10 times our number.

This was really serious.

... That's equal to a miracle that there was no deaths in my unit regardless of the scale of this war.

But, no matter how brave they were, they were still humans.

After all, when I couldn't see the face of my husband, or Herge, my heart was going wild;

whenever I couldn't see Philia and Aslin within a day, I grew worried.

Well, I was also responsible for the communications with my country.

Lately it was about the matter of Ritea. According to Yuki's and my own judgment,

If we dealt poorly with Rochelle, they would raise an uproar.

After I sent a letter to my father, he replied immediately with a schedule for a meeting.

I guess he must have been panicked. Fufufufu......

This was another story.

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(Kur) <sup>↑</sup>Then, let's be honest. J
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Kur halted the time of a breath, she had a serious expression while looking at me.

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(Kur) That's something I'm not entirely sure but..... ]
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(Seraria) 「..... Entirely?」
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 $(Kur)^{\Gamma}$ I'd like you to promote the technological level of the Dungeon so that's the outskirts match the inside of the Dungeon. \rfloor

I hit my head against the desk.

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(Seraria) Huh? What do you mean? J
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(Kur) Currently, our troops work in collaboration with the police of the Dungeon. But they are all packed in the outskirt, in the village, at the entrance of the Dungeon. We are defending, right?]

(Seraria) Oh well, but when we develop the outside of the Dungeon, I don't think anyone would like to come in afterward.

(Kur) Yes, everyone in the unit understands. So, we made it that every soldier

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would have a 1 week shift as outside duties. I
  (Seraria) Yes, I know that well. J
 (Kur) To put it briefly, the life in the Dungeon is too convenient. To the point
that it became inconvenient to live outside, making noise. J
(Seraria) [..... They shall train. ]
 (Kur) Nevertheless, outside there is no bath. It's the same feeling as if you
washed yourself with the water drawn from a village's well. J
 (Seraria) ... In terms of hygiene, it's not a favorable situation? ]
 (Kur) [Yes, that's why I don't want the distinction between the Dungeon and
its outskirts to remain while it is still small in scale. In my opinion, that could
easily serve as an advertisement for the Dungeon. I think people would be more
than happy to go inside knowing that even more wonderful equipment awaits
them. I
 (Seraria) \( \screen \)...... Fumu. Let's consider it positively. Still, we can't do it unless all
the representative agrees. J
 (Kur) Thank you for listening to my advice. I'm working in the Dungeon with
Seraria-sama but I think it will already hurt me to go outside. J
(Seraria) Ara? You don't want to guard outside anymore? J
 (Kur) I shall refuse. It is so inconvenient to light a candle compared to magic
light. Seraria-sama what about you, how about going outside? Yuki-sama
probably wouldn't mind it. He knows about Seraria-sama's temperament and
will say yes if you are the one asking. \( \)
 (Seraria) Noway]
 Something like going outside huh.
How inconvenient would it be to return to Rochelle?
  (Kur) There's a separate matter as well. J
  (Seraria) There's still something? J
  (Kur) Yes, that's something I can't judge either. J
  (Seraria) \( \text{What is it about? } \)
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(Kur) A part of... There is more than a quarter of our members that want to live here with their families. I

(Seraria) Oh, I see. J

This Dungeon's defense, laws, original rules, and advanced technology.

It was so sophisticated that it was unmatched in this continent.

When you have a lot of knowledge from the continent, I'm convinced you would try to bring your family here.

(Seraria) [I'll talk about that with them.]

(Kur) Thank you very much. J

Our talk lasted for a while and the clock showed 12:30.

(Seraria) Mou, it's already this late. Let's eat our meal quickly and head to the Adventurer's Guild. J

(Kur) That's right. Today, our Dungeon will finally open for the adventurers. J

(Seraria) Wait a moment, we're still doing trials. We're only calling for adventurers so that we can get another impression. And we will see if there is any difference with the assessed difficulty the Adventurer Guild made. Only then we will determine the difficulty of the Dungeons.

(Kur) That was rude of me. It was my first experience building a Dungeon with everyone . And while we made it only four floors, I'm still really excited. J

(Seraria) I don't really understand though. J

With these words, right after I left the office, Delille was heading here.

(Delille) Oh, Seraria-sama. Thou art still here? Right on time, why don't we eat together? Naturally Kur, thou shalt eat together with us

(Kur) Thank you very much. But Delille-sama, have you decided on what to eat today?]

(Delille) \(\text{Oh}, not yet. There is the need to decide. \(\text{J} \)

Delille was now treated as a specialist of the military and police.

That's only natural for a Demon King.

Her special duties allowed her to freely move between the police and the

military. And she could battle whenever her judgment found something deviating from the rules and that she needed to act.

No, that was the same for all representatives.

It wasn't only Delille. However, she had that unique position.

Of course, all the guys who complained, ended to jail after tasting the power of the Demon King.

(Seraria) By the way, what happened to Yuki and Labiris? Are they together?

(Delille) Both had a different business. They are supposed to meet at the Adventurer's Guild.

(Seraria) Business?]

(Delille) Yuki is at Naruja's blacksmith dealing with connections and Labiris is doing check ups at the government building. J

(Kur) 「..... Both are busy, right. 」

(Seraria) Don't you want to help too, Delille? J

(Delille) [Well, I am yearning to help Yuki. But his standard of work is nothing but headaches.]

(Seraria) Furthermore, his way of thinking is outside of standards. J

(Delille) And, let us talk about lunch. It seems that recently a sushi shop has opened? How about it?]

(Seraria) [Eeh, that's the shop Yuki made]

(Kur) ^ΓIs it good? J

(Seraria) [Yes, let's head there.]

That way, we walked alongside Delille.

(Kur) 「Ano, what is sushi? 」

Oh, Kur never ate one?

I was looking forward to her reaction.

(Seraria) You will understand. It's certainly your first taste. So look forward to it.]

After that, Kur frequently came to the sushi bar. She was astonished at Yuki's handmade product.

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Afterword of the author

Yes, this was the story of Seraria's military network.

It's painful, inside is so convenient and outside so inconvenient ahah.

Well, work is just like that!!

Also, Kur and Delille helped Seraria in making her Dungeon.

You can somehow predict the result Ahah.

Chapter 73 - To Make Use Of Reflecting

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Preface of the Author

This time the reason behind the monsters rampage is revealed.

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To make use of reflecting.

side: Ellis

Today I was in the Adventurer's District and we gathered at the Adventurer's Guild.

We had finished our assigned work, so we could just relax as we monitored each of the Dungeons. I'm looking forward to how the Dungeon I built will turn out.

(Lutz) Calm down, I can actually hear someone going doki doki1) Sound of the heart J

(Ellis) [Yes]

I was leisurely having a chat with Lutz and waiting for everyone else at the Guild.

Finally, almost all the immigrants have finished being processed, so we could at long last let that matter out of our hands.

It seems that we will need to increase the number of people in the government office. Thankfully since we have trained some of the immigrants from Rochelle as identification issuers and checkers, or teachers for the training school, a lot of the issues should be dealt by them. Once things calm down a little and are running smoothly, we would like to get some of the new people from Ritea working on issuing the identification papers.

No, actually an entire month has already passed so maybe the sooner the better.

That also means that we've already had a few chances to try.

Mou, the first and second batch of immigrants have already moved to the residential area and are self-sufficient.

It's approaching the time for the third batch of immigrants to graduate from the training school and live in the residential area, where they can start working...

(Lutz) We also diligently did our jobs after the defensive battle. J

(Ellis) Yes, and we worked hard on the new Dungeons. J

Lutz and me started reminiscing about the time after the end of the defensive battle.

==== Jumping backwards in spacetime =====

(Seraria) Yuki!! Seriously, what on earth were you thinking? If you made even one mistake, the whole army would have been wiped out and you would have died!!]

After she finished negotiating with Alshtail-sama, Seraria-sama came back and seriously started shouting at Yuki-san.

However, Yuki-san who was on the receiving end had a relaxed expression.

(Seraria) Are you listening!? The monsters under Yuki started rampaging!! Do you understand?! I gave the command to annihilate the enemy in front of us and they still listened!! The monsters under my command listened to my commands properly... Why? J

Yes, the monsters under the command of Seraria-sama didn't run wild, they kept their discipline and fought in a calm and orderly manner.

As one would expect from Seraria-sama. She narrowed her eyes as if she noticed something.

(Seraria) [...... Yuki . You did it on purpose, didn't you?]

(Yuki) No no, I didn't. It's because Aslin cried. J

(Seraria) I know about the official reason!! But the timing was too good and it wasn't truly chaotic. J

(Ellis) [Etto, what do you mean?]

I didn't understand Seraria-sama's reasoning, so I asked for an explanation.

(Seraria) Γ in regards to the monsters going out of control. Even if Aslin didn't cry, Yuki would have somehow made them go on rampage anyway.

Officially, they ran out of control. But in reality they could still follow orders. Even though he said they went wild, they didn't attack us nor did they attack each other. They firmly annihilated only the enemy. Otherwise, why would the monsters in this frame of mind listen to my commands]

(Ellis) [Yuki-san, I have a question?]

(Yuki) No, the direction you are thinking is wrong. In the first place, can you even put complete beginners under Seraria's reckless command?

(Seraria) Guh, that is..... J

(Yuki) But, that doesn't change what Seraria said. The monster's running wild was deliberate you say? But if that's what happened, then the monsters under me also started rampaging. They wouldn't listen to my commands anymore and wouldn't behave in the way I taught them to. Do you think I implemented that too? J

When he said that, I couldn't say anything back.

On the other hand, the enemies were annihilated as the result.

(Yuki) Well, don't get depressed. In fact, the loss was 8 slimes and 8 goblins. It's very insignificant.

(Lutz)「Hou… 2) Not sure of what あう means, surely something like ouch. EDN: It's more like a "is that so" or "that's interesting" or "go on I want to hear more"」

It seemed that most of those deaths were from Riel's unit, so hearing this made her ears droop.

(Yuki) Considering this was our first battle, it was a success. But, as Seraria said, the army should still have been able to receive commands and stay in order. Even if you're strong, if you can't cooperate, there's still the danger of being outmaneuvered, surrounded and then crushed. I'm sorry but, no matter how we look at it, this war is not going to be the last one. I think that you all will be asked to appear on such a battlefield again. This is why we had to gain as much experience from this somewhat safe stage. Because of this, I wanted to use this opportunity to teach you about how to command and keep the monsters in line. I'm. Sorry. J

Yuki-san said that and he lowered his head.

... That's not fair.

With such reasons, I had nothing to say anymore.

(Yuki) From now on, there will be many immigrants arriving from Ritea. And if the monsters under each representative can't be kept in check, it will bring a lot of trouble. I want you to understand that. J

(Lutz) T...... This time it was a crushing victory. By the end, I had successfully given out an order ... thought I don't quite understand why it was successful. Besides, this lack in ability didn't originate only from me, it was from your poor leadership as well. Because Yuki has already gone over the reflection of this matter, it's already over. So let's let the sleeping dog lie. J

When Seraria-sama was told like this, she fell flat on the desk.

(Yuki) Are you okay Seraria? J

(Seraria) [..... You're noisy. After all, my dear, isn't everything in your palms.]

(Yuki) Don't sulk like that. Let's take some time off and play. With everyone.]

Because we are all feeling a little down, Yuki-san meddled.

(Ellis) But, how did Seraria-sama detain the monsters at that time? J

I asked in order to help Lutz understand how to order the monsters correctly. But, at that time, all I could see was the monsters suddenly roaring and rushing out.

(Seraria) Uh? simple no? I told them to not leave their post without permission!! I just gave out a command.

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(Ellis) [Uh, is that all? ]
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(Seraria) [...... You all couldn't even do that much.]

(Ellis) 「No, I have no excuses. 」

(Yuki) This is reality Seraria. They are all superior individually, but their commanding is another thing entirely. Perhaps when the monsters ran out of control, they were dumbfounded?

(Lutz) [It's just as you say so onii-san" It happened so suddenly after all.]

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(Seraria) I was wrong. But this incident was also a good experience, wasn't it?
 You have started to learn a bit of the method from Yuki. But there's still many
things to do on the frontlines. J
 (Lutz) To give out commands is quite troublesome desu yo ne~13) ED: Ohh i
sympathize so much: 'D, i'm always struggling with this in WoT
 (Seraria) [ I was able to do it quickly and accurately. ]
  (Yuki) Well, that's because you are from royalty, so you are already educated
and used to things like this. No, or perhaps this is just Seraria's talent? \( \)
 (Seraria) Ara, are you praising me? J
  (Yuki) \( \text{Of course}, you were a great help. \( \text{J} \)
  (Seraria) Thank you. J
 ==== Jumping Forward into spacetime4) It took me quite some times to
guess it was a jump in space time =====
 After returning to reality Lutz had a somber expression.
 (Lutz) To be honest, what happened simply made me feel depressed. J
 (Ellis) Yes, at least Seraria-sama was helpful to Yuki-san. No, actually even
now she is doing a lot of things for him. J
  (Lutz) That's right, we are depending on onii-san now and because of that
we became too self-conceited. There is no limit for such a thing. J
 (Ellis) Yuki-san also teaches us other cultures everyday. J
 (Lutz) Onii-san does work desperately hard, but he has bad sight 5) As in:
dense. I
 (Ellis) Thanks to that, we are now full of fighting spirit. J
  (Lutz) In hindsight, there were a lot of futilities. I'll also exert myself more
from now on. I
 (Ellis) Yes, starting with the review of the Dungeons. J
  Like that, when I was happily talking with Lutz, people rapidly gathered.
  (Riel) Yahoo Aren't we the first to arrive? 16) I don't think I ever mentioned
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it. But Riel says "Boku" a boyish way to say "I"
  (Tori) [Ellis-san, Lutz-san, you arrived earlier. I see. ]
  (Kaya) 「... For lunch. Did you even eat anything? 」
  The beast girls trio entered......
  (Seraria) Fuu, although we have the transfer fields, we should still walk if
time permits, right? ]
  (Delille) Hey Seraria, that would be a problem. J
  (Kur) Delille-sama, it can't be helped. Because of what happened lately, she
didn't really have any opportunities to practice... ]
  (Seraria) Kur, if you such a thing in front of Yuki again, I'll cut your neck. J
  Seraria's Army also started trickling in.
  (Aslin) Vilia-chan, let's change—-!! ]
  (Vilia) Good day Aslin, I arrived here first. J
  (Philia) Get off my nii-sama's arm! Hiro!! J
  (Hiro) Anii said it was fine. J
  (Labiris) ... Popular huh, Yuki. J
  (Yuki) \( \text{...} \) Says the Labiris who's already on top. \( \text{J} \)
  Yuki seemed to be adored by children as usual.
  [Eto, is the medical room operational?]
  No problem. There are skilled people under the leadership and education of
Herge-sama and Lulu-sama. J
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「Well, if there are any issues we will contact you with Call, so don't worry too much. I

Herge from the medical room also arrived.

Oh, she's called Herge in public as well, but since she has changed her appearance, thanks to a technique of disguise, she was considered as a different person who happened to have the same name.

Now then, everyone has gathered.

When everyone grouped up and began talking, Millie brought over two members of the Adventurer Guild.

(Millie) Is everyone here? Hmm... Yes, looks like all of us. Let me introduce these people once again. These two people are the head of this Dungeon's Adventurer Guild. Guild master Rock-san. And vice Guild Master Kina.

 $(Rock)^{\Gamma}$ Many thanks to all the representatives who kindly received us. \rfloor $(Kina)^{\Gamma}$ Ple-please treat me well!! \rfloor

In that way, the masters bowed their heads to us.

So, why was Naruja-san together with Millie and the members of the Adventurer Guild?

(Naruja) Because I have been entrusted with the duty of supplying the items related to the Dungeon, I am with the Guild this time.

(Ellis) 「So it was something like that? 」

(Naruja) Yes, interesting, isn't it? We will be handing over the items we've made to be the treasure of the Dungeons.

As they were speaking in that manner, Seraria-sama stood up from the sofa and gave her greetings.

(Seraria) We don't have to introduce ourselves to you again, do we? Then, Rock-dono, Kina-dono, I'm grateful to you for joining our Dungeon. With that, we should now have a good relationship with the Adventurer Guild on the outside?) as in public view. J

(Rock) No, this matter is also really helpful for the Adventurer Guild. It's really convenient when you are able to make a Dungeon yourself......]

After the greetings between Rock-san and Seraria ended and she had returned to her seat, the door was suddenly smashed open.

(Mauve) [Wait a minute Oi!! How on earth did we end up as explorers?!]

Oh, I forgot about Mauve-san's party.

I mean, they didn't help with the basic management and they were just relaxing every day at their homes, the Adventurer District, or the Inn.

Yuki-san was convinced to let them off the hook after he heard about the role

of Mauve-san's party. But there's still something which wasn't quite satisfying him.

(Yuki) What are you saying? Until now you have not been working while relaxing here, please work properly on this job. J

(Mauve) [Guh]

(Yuki) You are an adventurer of the great Rank 8. Exactly what we need for the assessment of the Dungeons. J

(Mauve) But what did you mean when you said that we had to dive into your Dungeons? Does that mean the ladies made them?

That's right.

Mauve-san's party would go into our Dungeons.

(Millie) Well, since your party is under the protection of Guardian Appointment, you should be able to rate the Dungeons safely and diligently?

(Yuki) Don't worry there. Mauve's party is the best pick to capture my Dungeon.

(Mauve) [Geh!?]

Oh, there are six teams making Dungeons.

And there are 8 Dungeons.

With this, two of them would have been empty.

However, Millie made one with the cooperation of the Adventurer's Guild with the objective of training new adventurers.

And as for the last Dungeon... Yuki-san made it.

(Yuki) Don't make such a disgusted look. It's a proper Dungeon. It's perfectly possible to capture it. Well, try your best. Since you are under the Guardian Appointment, there is no need for the safe mode of the Dungeon... So instead of using stun guns, more normal weapons like spears will be used. I believe it should be easy to assess? J

(Mauve) [Idiot8] Baka!! I had a look at your Dungeon's materials and troops and it's nothing even remotely safe!! The average level of the monsters in the first Floor is 20!? 50 in the tenth floor!! And once you reach the thirtieth

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floor it's around 120!! ]

(Yuki) \(^{\text{You}}\) guys are also level 100, so do your best! ]

(Mauve) \(^{\text{It's impossible!!}}\) At least allow us a few stun guns!! ]

..... Please do your best.

(Ellis) \(^{\text{By}}\) the way, what about the safety level of the other adventurers? ]

When I asked that, Rock-san nodded and explained to me.
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(Rock) \(\text{We received a return ring from Seraria-sama, for this one-time event only. I told them to give priority to the evaluation, so that we can write a good guide. Of course, there is still a possibility of them dying. But thanks to the ring, I hope that it can be lowered as much as possible. \(\text{Selicity} \) (Ellis) \(\text{I understand} \)

(Seraria) Rock. Have you already explained everything to the adventurers? J

After I received my answer, Seraria-sama wanted a confirmation from the Guild Master.

(Rock) Yes, I already allocated each of them to a Dungeon. Now, we are only awaiting your permission to act. J

(Seraria) Then, I will give you my permission. And while they're assessing our Dungeons, let's talk about how the Adventurer Guild will handle the Dungeons in the future. Because I don't think our Ellis would be satisfied with only one inquiry. J

Thus, as Seraria had given her permission, the adventurers started to capture each Dungeon while we patiently awaited their explanation.

Oh, an alarm is ringing, meaning that an intruder has entered our Dungeon. I'm looking forward to it.

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Author's afterword

Here was the reason for the monster's rampage.

And the appraisal of the Dungeons has started!!

To be frank, I don't know if I'll write the story from the adventurers pov or the teams who built the Dungeons.

Ah, And Mauve, Amen.

Chapter 74 - Adventurer Guild Policy

side: Tori

I was a slave before I came to this Dungeon.

And before I became a slave, I was an adventurer.

For adventurers, Dungeons are like a treasure chest filled with hopes, dreams and fortune.

Even if they were small-scale, I too went to Dungeons and tried to strike upon a fortune.

Now, however, the situation has turned strange. I became a Dungeon Creator.

At the moment, Rock-san, the master of the Adventurer Guild, is explaining how they would like to handle this Dungeon.

(Rock) Well, once again from the top. The representatives for this Dungeon were called upon to make Small Dungeons. We have started assessing the Dungeons individually to determine whether or not they are befitting of "Medium-size". The main Dungeon being the largest recorded in history.

Yes, I had the same thoughts.

About 10,000 people are currently living in the Dungeon, without the corresponding size, that's simply not possible.

(Rock) Also, the Adventurer Guild has judged that this Dungeon is also the safest. An unprecedented feat. Monsters behave refined and proper in front of our eyes, they do not harm us, they do a lot of maintenance and they also protect the Dungeon. J

It was extremely unusual for Dungeons to be judged as posing no threat whatsoever. No, in fact, this may very well be the world's first safe Dungeon.

(Rock) In addition to all of these points, this Dungeon can also be controlled. It's beyond incredible and the Guild has decided to provide their full support for the Dungeon. In order to enable this support, I do apologize, but there are a few things I would like to clear up and ask questions about, in regards to the management of the Dungeon. J

(Seraria) Hee, you've got some nerve. J

Seraria-sama narrowed her eyes and scowled at Rock-san. You're scary.

(Rock) No, please don't misunderstand, I only wish to ask about the Smaller Dungeons everyone has made, not about the entire Dungeon Management.

(Seraria) \(\times \)... What do you mean by that? \(\times \)

(Rock) Simply put, the fact that you can make whatever monster you want and drop whatever item you like troubles me. If exploited this would cause an uproar in the market. J

(Seraria) Oh, that could be true. J

(Tori) What do you mean? J

I couldn't understand what he meant, so I tilted my head.

(Ellis) Well, Tori, you know that monsters killed inside a Dungeon have droppable items right? And also that you don't need to disassemble their body?

(Tori) Yes. In addition, sometimes an item that you don't usually get is dropped, right?

(Ellis) That's the issue he's addressing. Since we can make monsters indefinitely, we could also continuously fight and kill them until they drop rare items, reducing the factor of luck.

(Tori) 「Oh」

Got it, if you were to do that, you could get whatever you wanted.

If it were to come to this, then an unexpected amount of high quality and otherwise rare goods would appear.

(Rock) Yes, Ellis hit the nail on the head. If you do something like that then the adventurers, the merchants, the smiths, the alchemist, and many more people who work and fight, with their lives on the line in some cases, to obtain their daily food would be in uproar. I strongly hope that you will refrain from exploiting this method. J

(Seraria) That's reasonable. It certainly is not our purpose to make chaos in our surroundings. However, in the case of quests or similar needs, there is a need of having a small stock of such items. To that end, are you ok with us using this method?

(Rock) Tyes, that would be nice even. Everyone from the headquarters will be satisfied as long as valuable items, which are to be appreciated, are kept under a specific number. It's because these items are valuable that we would like to keep them that way1) he's talking about inflation, the rarer items are valuable precisely because they are few in number and sudden overflow of said goods would drop the value . J

(Seraria) Oh well. So I wonder, is the safe at the back of the Guild Master's room ok for storage?

(Rock) Yes, please make use of that. J

(Seraria) \(\sigma \) So, it wasn't only for this matter that we were all interrupted, right? \(\sigma \)

(Rock) No, I would also like you to tell me as much as possible about the types of monsters in the Dungeons and how to deal with them.

Okay, this is important.

Usually, when new monsters are discovered accidentally, it takes several deaths before sufficient information can be collected, so it will be useful to them in many ways if they could have most of the knowledge in advance.

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(Seraria) That's interesting. Should I prepare a site for experiments? [Rock) I would be thankful, if that's possible. ]

(Tori) ...... Ano Seraria-sama. In that case I have an idea. ]

(Seraria) What? Do speak Tori. ]
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(Tori) Why don't we use the arena from the entertainment facilities that we made a while ago? Currently, the arena should only be being used by adventurers. J

(Seraria) That's a good idea. Since I rarely visit the arena, could you tell me if there have been any problems with it, since it was installed?

(Tori) Yes, the maintenance costs are ridiculous. However, it is useless to put in security guards when doing an experiment if anything happens, we can work in tandem with the monsters2) EDN: I think this means that when they summon new monsters and start experimenting, having security is useless as they possibly won't be able to differentiate between experimental monsters and security monsters sent for support thus causing a mess. It's the opposite to call the refined monsters in the Small Dungeon to the arena, instead, we would raise them from the beginning in the arena3) EDN: this one I would understand as summoning the monsters for training and education and when they are finished, release them to public for service. TLN: For me, I think it's raising them directly in the arena instead of grooming them and then moving them out of the Dungeons. . J

(Riel) [Ehh, if we do that we could see a wide variety of monsters and we might even find some suitable ones for our Small Dungeon!!]

When Riel said that, everyone looked relieved.

(Lutz) Riel is right. Since goblins and slimes were already plenty strong, other monsters have only really been used as a hobby. But as she said, there may be other effective monsters depending on how they're used. I absolutely have to make this research happen!

(Millie) In that case should we make a professional department? Judging by the current idea, we'd need proper staff to manage the monsters, gather and document accurate, useable information.

(Seraria) Well, it would be nice to set up a new department for it but I wonder who would be responsible?

(Yuki) \(\text{Seraria}, \text{ wait, calm down. At the moment we need to hear Rock-san's explanations. Let's talk about the experiments more thoroughly at a later date. This can't be set up in an organized manner yet, since we lack understanding of the Dungeons we would be putting the monsters into. \(\text{J} \)

(Seraria) Ara, sorry. Indeed, that is also an interesting point. J

Seraria-sama said that, and Yuki made a grin.

... What to say, they look like a suitable husband and wife. Was it only my imagination, or did that seem annoying?

(Rock) Thank you for your interest, representatives. I have brought some documents pertaining to the minor details of this discussion, please receive these materials. I'll be handing out the documents about our requests first. J (Yuki) Hee, Rock-san. You seem to have adapted quite well to paper? J

(Rock) Yes thanks to Yuki. It's too convenient to sort the files in this way. J

Yuki-san and Rock-san were laughing together.

Between men, have they formed something like a connection?

For now, I should skim over the distributed materials.

It seems that the general idea was as we had expected.

[Adventurer Guild Policies & Requests]

Policy

The Adventurer Guild is essentially a place which provides the service of mediating work for adventurers. We have the duty to manage the area we are in and complete recruitment steadily. We also strive to guide adventurers to not cause problems.

In addition, this Adventurer's Guild is also supervising the Adventurer District. So that area is also under our control. This is for the purpose of improving the morale of adventurers. This ensures adventurers can be reformed from arrogant and violent behavior. They'd hence live a longer and more prosperous life. For the people who cause trouble despite these measures, adequately heavy punishments will be meted out. Such as demotion of rank.

Regarding the management of the Small Dungeons, we will in principle leave it to each representative. We assume that you will grasp the ever changing circumstances correctly and thus make whatever efforts the situation may require. Please come by often to report when changes are applied to the Small Dungeons because the data we posses is updated personally by the representatives.

When someone finds a Dungeon, he will henceforth be allowed to Transfer directly to it with his team. If this requirement is not met, the transfers using the transfer field will be prohibited. About the rest, we assume that you already know enough so we won't go into more specific details. We assume that

adventurers will firmly manage and take care of their lives on their own.

As the previous description implies, we do not guarantee the lives of the adventurers, or any other people who are to step into the Dungeon District. The representatives said that they could make heavy adjustments that would result in no risk of death, but if there is no sense of fear, then it was concluded that the quality of our adventurers would go down too much.

In the event when someone "captures" a Small Dungeon, in other words completes it, one does not take, destroy or tamper with the Dungeon Core in any way, but instead by returning with a specific item, which will be used as a proof of conquest. In addition a prize would be awarded.

Tampering with a Dungeon core results in very heavy punishment.

This is because I want adventurers to understand that this Dungeon is operational thanks to a tamed Dungeon core.

The summary of the Requests is

Request

There is a limitation on the items dropped by monsters, especially the rare ones.

We need your cooperation to prevent any uproars in the market.

I would like to use this opportunity to ask you to help us experiment, analyze and document information pertaining to the new monsters

One needs to know their characteristics to defend against them in an efficient manner.

Although the monsters of the Dungeon District don't leave that area, the adventurers who come here don't know that, so I would like it to somehow be made known to them.

The following is a necessity for the Dungeon as a whole. There are now children growing up inside this Dungeon, as such they need to learn to recognize monster guards correctly, this is especially important, if they aren't taught how to differentiate between tame monsters and aggressive monsters, there could be severe consequences..

Because of that, we think that we should educate the children in a specially made Dungeon for children to allow them to safely gain experience.

Regularly, I would like you to recreate a great overflow of monsters.

Please be aware that like the adventurers, residents will be trained as well. In addition to that I would like you to recognize the fact that we might enlist some of them against the wave for training purposes. As for this matter, I'd like to ask you to apply measures that will ensure no severe wounds are sustained.

To summarize

Great overflow of monsters?

Yes, I learnt a lot from this.

We would also conduct practice sessions with the residents, they'd learn to be able to evacuate to safe places properly.

It seems that a lot of people have volunteered for the recruitment of soldiers.

After I read the documents, our conversation resumed.

(Secret person of the Adventurer Guild) The adventurer in charge of capturing the Dungeon made by Tori-san's group has used the emergency transfer!! It is serious!! Herge-sama!! Lulu-sama!! Treatment please!! J

The door was opened desperately, a person who seems to be a member of the Adventurer Guild quickly entered.

[[[Huh!?]]

We all showed surprised faces.

It hasn't even been that long?

An hour at most.

What on earth happened in there?

Our Dungeon was mainly made of forests and grasslands that we combined and we then implemented an animal system.

In charge of the defense of the first floor were Kobolds I think?

Immersed in various thoughts, we rushed towards the adventurer.

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Author's afterword

This time it was about the Adventurer Guilds policies.

I think there was various convincing things.

You can't go overkill.

Everything in moderation.

And next up is the adventurer who challenged Tori's group's Dungeon.

Chapter 75 - Experiencing Wanwano

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Author's preface

It's the longest ever

I'm sorry, I wanted to set out the mechanism of the Adventurer Guild.

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Experiencing Wanwano2) Wanwano means Dog/doggy or Barking!

side: Rank 7 Adventurer Orvik3)オーヴィク

I'm an adventurer offering my services to special commissions, well, somehow it turned out differently from how it was supposed to be in the beginning.

It seemed that I had talent.

It is said that it's supposed to take a lot of time until a beginner adventurer rises from rank 1 to 4.

The main reason is in order to rank up to rank 4, one must not only subjugate monsters, but also fully clear a "bandit extermination" commission.

There are many ordinary and easy ways to raise your reputation enough, to rank up to 1 or 2. Such as doing ordinary tasks and helping in villages and towns. After you have done enough of that, you can finally go out and get rid of monsters.

From rank 2, the subjugation of monsters begins and an adventurer usually learns how to fight, by fighting goblins, slimes, kobolds, caterpillars and the like. Well, if you think that you are capable enough, you also may search for stronger enemies., but this won't help you much with the Guilds evaluation.

Officially the only benefit is selling the monster's materials, so your rank doesn't rise, though they do tend to at least favour you for it.

Well, I think that this rule is well thought out.

This prevents rookies with lower skills from getting lucky and reaching a rank that doesn't suit them.

Ranks are not only a proof of strength, it is also a way to trust an adventurer.

And just recently, I had reached a high rank, the seventh, in a short period of

just 3 years as an adventurer.

It might look like just a number and even if anyone could rank up a few times, reaching rank 7 as an adventurer in practice is actually way harder than you might think.

As an example, take the thief or bandit extermination of rank 4. Since they are humans and not monsters, it can be very difficult to deal with. On occasion they know their own weaknesses and take countermeasures for them. So there are varying levels of attentiveness, because of that, it can be a very unpredictable commission.

Many rank 4 adventurers become injured during these commissions, immediately putting an end to their career, or in extreme cases, lose their life. In short, even though a bandit is a condition to rank up, they are not classified like monsters, so it can hold an unknown degree of difficulty to fight one. If all the adventurers could kill a thief each time for a rank up, the adventurers

from the country wouldn't be able to do it anymore4) as in they run out of thiefs to subjugate?

Obviously, the difficulty to rank up to 5 is even higher.

This is achieved thanks to a high ratio of successful requests, your reputation in the surroundings, your personality and more. Naturally, the contents of the requests also become more difficult.

There are many things that are taxing mentally, or misleading, such as searching for specific items inside a Dungeon.

Additionally, the strength of monsters is nothing compared to what you had to fight previously, so troubles arise due to the monster's abilities.

If a party on the level of beginners met an entity like a monster of rank 5 class, it is very likely that it'd result in a total annihilation.

Rank 6. It is the rank I had up until a month ago.

This is a rank that needs even more achievements than rank 5. Once further evaluations are completed by the guild, one can attempt a specified quest. Upon completion one would be awarded with a rank up.

That's where nominated requests come in handy.

Well, one could also receive a nominated request in the lower ranks, but those ones are a lot more confidential.

These special quests are also more likely to be a fight against an outburst of

monsters.

This rule is also done well.

But telling something like that would make the surroundings panic if released to the public.

The Guild usually knows when an outburst is about to appear thanks to the frequent investigations.

After that, there's the danger of the numerous Dungeons.

These are painful places, even for adventurers of rank 6.

Although the Dungeon is a place where fortunes lay, it's far too easy to forget that it is a place of unprecedented, yet natural disasters.

Before you notice, you're surrounded by a swarm of monsters, some floors more so than others.

Dangers such as that need some meticulously planned countermeasures, trusted teamwork and more than anything, experience, which also means that there is a deadly first time.

Oh, and also,

in the same way that adventurers are ranked, Dungeons are as well.

I heard that the Dungeons received them since adventurers specialized in Dungeons.

A Dungeon's rank tends to be higher than the adventurer's in it.

Certain monsters and floors require special conditions to challenge them.

That's why, adventurers of rank 3 could enter a rank 6 Dungeon.

It is hard to say whether that's a good thing.

Higher ranked adventurers are good because of their judgment, their communication and their awareness of their surroundings.

In general, it was also in accordance with the trust from the inhabitants who are settled around where they operate.

When the rank of a Dungeon is high, you need to be especially cautious of traps and surprise attacks that are particularly high in numbers and also awareness of how strong the monsters are.

Let's just say that their fighting ability needs to be high.

The only Dungeon I've gone into was rank 5.

That's primarily because there are no higher ranked Dungeons around.

It was the only available training Dungeon so I had ranked there. 5) like Leveling but for Ranks

This is one of the reasons I stayed there, to rise as an adventurer, but the other is because it's easy to get good quests and fame in a Dungeon.

And just recently, I became rank 7.

To get this high, it's as much chance as it is skill.

Well, truthfully, the only attainable rank for normal adventurers is 6 at best.

To rise above that, you need to take a leadership role against an invasion of monsters.

Moreover, just taking the lead isn't enough to rank up, you also need to have distinguished service in the battle.

In my case, a group of nearly 200 monsters assaulted the place I had set up as my base. Even if I had sought reinforcements from elsewhere, they wouldn't have reached the place in time.

In the end we managed with the local knights, adventurers and volunteers.

At that time, we weren't even 100 people in total within our main fighting force.

Volunteers 6)Militia had also joined, so it was quite disadvantageous not only in quantity, but also quality.

With my rank being 6, I was able to gather the adventurers who were in my vicinity and decided to protect one of the flanks.....

Against the offensive of double the number of opponents, our main force was inferior.

The adventurers were also outnumbered, and unfortunately, one of the adventurers who was my subordinate fled.

It was hard, but we managed to deal with our sector, we then hurriedly flanked the exposed enemies side to relieve the main force. They then used the opportunity to move the wounded away from the front and had them recover.

Thanks to that time's achievements and praise, I was recognized as rank 7.

I don't know how to reach rank 8.

Mauve is one of the adventurers that are called rank 8 heroes, people who joined the defense. But his is a story of heroic proportion.

At that time, the owner of a town moved most of its force away for a Bandit subjugation and as a consequence the town was left nearly undefended.

The timing was truly unlucky, a horde of monsters suddenly appeared and there was no lord to provide guidance, let alone enough forces to oppose. The Adventurer Guild decided on a basic strategy which focused entirely on evacuating the civilians.

One of the very few adventurers who participated in that defense and successfully earned enough time for the escape was Mauve who was hailed as the hero of the defense.

Regardless of the overwhelming disadvantage, he had gathered as many adventurers as humanly possible, raised their morale to the limit and pushed back a group that was nearly four times greater than there were defenders. Thus he protected the town.

And the town i was in struggled when it was twice as many. He is a person worthy of respect.

I wanted to meet him someday, but alas, due to the Demon King's machinations that one time, it was reported that he had died in the internal strife of the country.

If he was alive, I would like him to tell me many great stories, but information is very confusing and I can't find his tracks.

Well, it's only been 3 months since the declaration of the end of the war.

At least one year will probably be necessary for everything to calm down.

I have no idea of how to reach rank 9 or 10.

If rank 8 was a hero who made critical contributions to defending a town, would a rank 9 or 10 be on par with a Demon King or a country?

(Rahlie) [Hey, Orvik, what's wrong?]

(Orvik) Oh, sorry. I am a rank 7 adventurer right?

(Rahlie) Fufu, you are worthy of being an adventurer. I guarantee it. J

Wondering why I looked unfocused in front of the quest board, my party member Rahlie called out to me.

I met Rahlie on my way back from a subjugation, she was inside a horse-drawn carriage that was attacked and I ended up saving her albeit late. Many people had already died by the time I arrived.

There were a few survivors. And Rahlie was one of them, though she was a slave.

there was some good luck as the coach of the carriage had survived, but the slaves couldn't keep going.

In general, slaves look pretty bad, be it poor, unkempt, or just dead in the eyes.

The thing is no one wants a worn-out slave.

So slaves usually at least receive the bare minimum clothing and shelter.

Some slave merchant are good, other are bad. The bad capture from other countries and sell illegally. The good buy willing people. These people usually sell themselves to merchants to provide an immediate monetary injection to the family in times of emergency.

For the latter merchants, they have a hard time surviving since competition with the "Bad" is fierce and they often starve to death.

What they do can be seen as a good deed from a certain viewpoint.

The merchant I helped was the latter type, and the slaves had all willingly become slaves to help their families.

The merchant was a gentle person, he treated the slaves nicely and although it was a bit narrow, he provided a place for them to sleep, enough food, and simple clothes.

I was late at that time and since the good merchant would need some immediate cash to tend to everything that happened, I decided to buy a slave in order help. So I bought a pretty girl named Rahlie as a slave.

The pricing of a slave varies, but the merchant said it was 7 golds for Rahlie.

According to my previous earnings, I could gather 7 gold coins by doing roughly 10 difficult quests.

How should I say it, as many as 10 difficult quests are not easy to come by, so you know how much money I had?) ED note: nope, we don't.

In this region, elves, fox people, and rabbit people are a white gold coin each. Well, they are pretty cute though.

Oh, it that was only regarding female slaves, but male slaves that can battle are also very popular.

Honestly, after establishing my contract with Rahlie I got quite carried away. I indulged in a man's desire frequently.

Thanks to that, a rather difficult period ensued where i had low funds, but

Rahlie stayed by my side, smiling.

And once Rahlie became able to sustain herself, I freed her from slavery.

This was also a way to show her my gratitude.

It's because I thought about how I repeatedly held her tightly in my embrace every evening and she, without voicing any complaints or wishes, kept up with all of the dangerous things I did just to satisfy my desire.

Despite all of that, Rahlie is still with me.

She told me that she wanted to follow me of her own will and on that occasion, she honestly bawled her eyes out.

In between now and then I have made other friends and thus we have caught up with the present.

My new friends have talent, but their strong point is their honest feelings.

But since I am the leader, there seems to be some degree of respect and therefore distance in accordance with the dignity of my rank.

(Orvik's party member)「OOi8) Ooi or Oi おおい is a familiar means of calling out to someone in Japanese Orvik! The Guild Master is calling us!! 」

(Orvik's party member) Hey, even if it's good hanging around with Rahlie, pay attention to the time and place!!

The other members of our party called out to us.

These two people have a relationship just like Rahlie any myself, and after they heard our story, we partnered up together ever since.

Because we are all together, our job is less dangerous.

There was no risk of pregnancy thanks to a magical medicine, but I have already told the other couple that I want to settle somewhere and dedicate myself to a nice, warm family.

The Guild Master has called us for a request.

(Rahlie) Huh? Wait a just a minute! The Dungeons are DIY!? And you want us to assess them?

We all jumped in surprise after we heard that, our eyes flickered.

(Guild master) Have you heard the story about the late Holy Woman Herge from Rochelle? The one about her successfully conquering and then assuming control of a Dungeon?

(Rahlie) Yeah, however I also heard that Herge was killed shortly after because of the Demon King's plan...]

Rahlie managed to make a retort.

(Guild master) [Well, that is a fact. However, the rulership of the Dungeon has been handed over......]

After that, we heard the rest of the story.

Herge's older sister, Seraria, inherited the authority over the Dungeon.

She can use the functionalities it has and has tried a wide variety of things, such as establishing a new mode of life with immigrants and cooperating monsters. Apparently that's possible

She's even made things that go way beyond the common sense of what a Dungeon is, like a founding a vast city inside the Dungeon walls. One such ridiculous plan is to make specialised Dungeons inside the Original Dungeon for adventurers.

How ridiculously unreasonable.

A Dungeon inside a Dungeon? Specialised for adventurers?

However we have been told what the obvious benefits are and we also understand well that if this Dungeon District were to function correctly and as planned, then tremendous profit and prospects will arise and the future of many people will expand exponentially.

(Orvik) I understand, I accept the request. J

(Guild master) Thank you. In order to gather effectively before departure, the meetup with the other adventurers will be three days from now, so I ask you to prepare accordingly in the meantime. J

(Orvik) There will also be other adventurers? J

(Guild master) Oh, i assume you know that Seraria is nicknamed the war goddess? J

(Orvik) Yes, she even has a special class and is on a much higher level. J

(Guild master) That's right. So she's decided to create 8 Dungeons in order to provide a suitable training ground for the military and adventurers. J

(Orvik) [8 of them! ?]

(Guild master) [Yes. We've already received some basic documents on the Dungeons such as a map and the features, but most of them can't be judged with common sense. That's why, we intend to send two teams to each of the 8 Dungeons in order to explore and determine what the rank of the Dungeons should be.]

(Orvik) Understood, if it's like that, then we have quite a lot of responsibilities on our shoulders.]

(Guild master) Right. Because of that, we would like you to recommend some adventurers to us. If they are referred to us from someone as powerful as a rank 7 adventurer, they will surely go the extra mile. J

(Orvik) Are you sure? You want to give such an important task to us? J

(Guild master) Come on. If it's rank 7 adventurers, then currently only you are available in the Adventurer Guild of Ritea. Well, even though I say that, recommendations will be limited to a minimum of rank 5. Honestly, we have even called out to the notorious ones of rank 6. No, it would probably be more accurate to say we've already called out to all the members of rank 6. J

(Orvik) Ano, how many rank 6's does Ritea currently have? J

(Guild master) [Well, in total it's about 70. But not all of the parties can participate, some are already in the middle of longer commissions. So long story short, 8 teams have decided to participate.]

Indeed, so in that case, maybe those people should come.....

(Orvik) [I currently have a rank 5 adventurer in mind. May I?]

(Guild master) [Yes, please go ahead.]

(Orvik) How about Tanaka-san who leads the heroes from the country of Rumel? They are fairly strong, and there is no problem with their mentality.

That would be a perfect job for the heroes of Rumel, who were summoned from another world.

And I think, that Tanaka-san is even stronger than the regular heroes.

Even if some people laugh at him because he's Level 1], he doesn't try to hide the fact.

But in my opinion, his individual combat ability is already above rank 7.

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Back when I was once leading a team to exterminate the ogres in Ritea, there were a lot more of them than the intelligence we were given and to top it all off, the ogres had a Tempest ogre leading them.

The moment we realized this, I was thinking of breaking out in one direction and running away with our tails between our legs.....

Suddenly, the sound of explosions echoed and the Tempest ogre splattered in the blink of an eye and the other ogres quickly followed suit.

The person who appeared after that display was Tanaka-san, leading the heroes.

(Tanaka) Excuse me. I thought that it was a dangerous situation so I forcefully helped. Of course, since I did this without permission, you can take the materials of the monsters here.

They!? How can you snipe so precisely when there are all these obstacles in the woods?!

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「..... As usual, it's amazing. 」
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Sniper? But Tanaka-san didn't even have a bow.

Was he a magician?

(Orvik) N-no. It was helpful. Thank you very much. I am Orvik. An adventurer.

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(Tanaka) [...... I am called Tanaka. ]
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(Hikari) My name is Hikari9) Probably a man, Hikari speaks using Boku . J

(Nadeshiko) [I am Nadeshiko]

(Akira) My name is Akira. And this is... J

In that way, we introduced ourselves and parted ways.

Later, I heard that they are heroes, indeed that's a title fit for their capabilities.

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(Guild Master) Ah, the noble Tanaka can't join us on this one. It's a confidential matter between the countries Rochelle and Ritea. Tanaka is actually a heavyweight in the hierarchy of Rumel so we don't know how reckless they might act if they hear about the Dungeon. If we manage this poorly, it may even up as a diplomatic incident.

 $(Orvik)^{\Gamma}Oh$, so we are in that kind of relationship. J

Well then, they cannot receive this quest.

(Guild Master) Well, that's unconfirmed, but I heard that the heroes of defense are coming to Ritea. In fact, it would be even easier to found the second team if they are to accept this request. J

(Orvik) \(\text{Is that true, they were ok?!} \)

(Guild Master) Ho ho ho, the heroes of defense are still popular. Well, I'm still looking into it for now. For the time being, I would appreciate it, if you started with your preparations.

(Orvik) Ahh, sorry. Understood. I'll take my leave. J

After we finished preparations for departure, meeting up and traveling to the Dungeon, we saw something amazing.

TIt's a lie... right? Is this really a Dungeon? J

「There's a sky...」

[Also there's trees and a river...]

\[\text{And in the field over there there's an orc! He is working hard in the field! ? \]

The truth that appeared in front of our eyes was that there is a Dungeon right beneath the cathedral of Ritea. And there's even a transfer field connecting to Rochelle.

But, that was only the beginning.

I've been told that when we reach Seraria's Dungeon, there would be buildings, shops, and a so called Super Lutz. Which common sense do they think can catch up with this10) ED note: the common sense of otherworld of course (##)? There are also a number of rare items.

While I was busy being dumbfounded, they started the explanations of the Dungeons.

(Guild Master) On this occasion, these people have also accepted to participate in the quest to assess Dungeons. Everyone knows them. The rank 8 heroes of defense!!

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[[[Oohh!!!]]
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The members of the Adventurer Guild became noisy, I also came back to my senses.

Was he talking about the Heroes of defense?

The first... perhaps he's the one who carries a spear, the light spear Raija.

The second looks like Curse, the sage who holds a wand.

And the last one ... The strange man I had spoken with, the sword user and leader Mauve!!

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(Mauve) [... Well. That's impossible..... to us... It isn't fun.... !! ]
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 Γ No........ right? Then....... 11) they are not hearing what they are whispering amongst themselves properly I am expecting great things from you!!

That's absolutely not possible!! J

「Don't deny it!! 」

「Hasten up!! 」

(Guild Master) [Eto, excuse me, Mauve-dono. Could I ask you to make a greeting?]

「Come on, go. 」

(Mauve) To Hell with that!! Later on I'll absolutely drink some good sake!! J

It must be an acting.

Everyone was smiling at Mauve-san's performance.

Well, is this the behaviour of the hero of defense?

*Wrong. Rather than acting, he was speaking from the bottom of his heart.

(Mauve) [... Okay. Uh, well, I am called Mauve, one of the heroes of defense. However, that doesn't matter. You have all suffered and fought against death,

to come to be where you are now. Trust in yourselves. I don't think there's much of a difference between you and me. J

Everyone quietly listened to his words.

Heroes truly are different after all.

Good people who don't use their power arrogantly, truly believe in equality and therefore are always careful and nice.

(Mauve) I heard that all of the adventurers here have been individually selected. I think that you are already aware but I'll still say it. Although it's an assessment, it's perfectly possible to die if you make even one mistake!! Never let your guard down!! Those Dungeons are made by filthy, crafty characters... It hurts!?

As he said that, a woman of a noble family came behind him.

(Seraria) I am the lord here you know? Whose personality is filthy and crafty? Well, I sympathize that you're lamenting over our Dungeons. But don't say anything that would tarnish their image. J

The Lord?

So this means, she is Seraria-sama12) apparently in the raw they did refer to her as Seraria before and only now they called her "-sama"!?

When everyone realized, they immediately fell to their knees......

(Seraria) Please raise your heads. We have asked you to come. It is our side that should be lowering their heads instead. I want to show you my gratitude for this time's support. Thank you. J

That said, Seraria lowered her head.

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Then after a simple explanation, we joined with another team and then we received the guidebook on our assigned Dungeon.

(Orvik) Now, how do you intend to move? J

Twe've received a strategy guide!! Seraria-sama bowed her head just like

that. If we do our best here and memorize it, there's fame, money and glory as a reward!!]

The team that joined me is Rank 6, but they seriously couldn't keep their calm.

It seems that he is excited since someone from royalty bowed their head.

TWe may be inferior, but we will go first!! If we are very lucky, Seraria-sama will choose her suitor!! J13) a suitor is someone kind of like a boyfriend, but with a concrete prospect of marriage

As they said that, the team laughed and charged into the Dungeon.

(Rahlie) [I wonder if they'll be okay?]

We all had the same thought as Rahlie.

(Orvik) ... Well, there is no need to study the guide for the first floor...]

I managed to squeeze those words out and entered the Dungeon after them. This Dungeon, as Mauve-san had warned, was very unusual.

Г..... A wide meadow. J

You can see a forest with a pathway down the middle in the back. J

For the time being, I can't see any monsters. J

We instantly formed a circle as we took our first look into the Dungeon. It's a defensive formation we assume every time we transfer somewhere for the first time.

「...... Where do you think the stairs are that lead to the bottom?」

That's... the guide says further in the back. J

「... Where in a meadow is the back......」

Yes, this floor isn't a maze and no matter how hard one looks, one could only see meadows and woods.

Is there even a "back" here?

「Anyway, standing around here won't get us anywhere, so let's head for the back of the forest. Since it was so glaringly obvious why not try the path we saw?」

「Yes, I'm ok with that. 」

Might as well since there's nowhere else. Even if we were to get surrounded, it should be easy enough to retreat as long as we progress carefully and check our surroundings, also there's the emergency transfer.

[I have no objection.]

After that, we proceeded along the path. There we met a few kobolds and animals but since they are monsters for beginners, we defeated them easily.

(Orvik) The first floor has kobolds, that's honest. J

(Rahlie) Oh well. It's a necessary thing for beginners. J

(Orvik) That would normally be the case but this time there are some special circumstances, if you paid attention to the introduction to the Dungeon you would know that that is a misconception. J

(Rahlie) Eh? What's up? Do these Kobolds have special abilities? Aren't they at best capable of beating things with a stick? Orvik, could you please fill me in? I'm afraid i missed it.

Rahlie missed it? Well, it's okay. This doesn't usually happen.

(Orvik) Because Kobolds look likes dogs, these ones have been made to act like them. They have feelings of friendship and a strong awareness of territory. Since their noses are good, they will quickly smell blood, especially if it's of their own kind. Once they notice that their friends are dead, you have to deal with quite the numbers. Well, the same is true of the goblins. Honestly, now that I think about it this would be common sense if not for the category "Monster". I mean they don't usually care too much about their comrades being killed, isn't that a little strange? J

(Rahlie) Oh, I see. Normally it would end when the ones immediately in front of us die, but not this time. We've already made noises and killed a few, isn't the situation pretty bad?

She's got it. I suppose an unexpected enemy reinforcement might come after they heard the noises. Well, it shouldn't be too bad. In nature, the herd won't move that much unless something extraordinary happens. And also because Kobolds and Goblins are weak demons. J

While we discussed such things, we started hearing and feeling vibrations coming from dead ahead.

「... What is it? An earthquake?」

TNo, this resembles the sound of a horde moving. J

「Eh, a horde you said... That means... 」

「Look!! Those are people right, no way!?」

From the back of the path, the adventurers who charged ahead of us, are running in our direction.

Two of the six are being carried off on the other's backs.

Appearing from behind them, was of course, a horde of roughly 100 kobolds.

[[[Wanwano!! Wanwano!!]]]

「...... I can hear very specific noises. 」

[I'm becoming unsteady.]

「What should we do? That herd looks pretty riled up, should we ready ourselves to sustain injuries?」

I think that it is better to withdraw quickly. There is no meaning in fighting that and consequently getting hurt on the first floor.

I agree with what that girl, my partner, said.

They made a mistake.

There should be no need for us to meddle with them.

But why haven't they used the return ring?

No wait a second, it could be that they completely panicked and forgot about it. If that's the case then rank 6 is a bit ...

(Orvik) \(\Gamma_\)... I intend to withdraw, but first I will tell them to use the return ring. For that reason, Rahlie please use an AOE spell to buy me some time. \(\] 14) Area of Effect or also Wide scale magic

(Rahlie) ... Seriously, if they forgot their rings, are they truly rank 6! ? Isn't that a beginners mistake?]

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(Orvik) \( \Gamma_{\text{......}} \) I understand, but please hear me out. Lives depend on it. \( \text{| (Rahlie) \Gamma_Got it. Then I'll start chanting. \( \text{| Rahlie quickly completed the chant and unleashed the magic. } \)

(Rahlie) \( \Gamma_{\text{Fire storm!!! }} \)
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A whirlpool of flame was formed and the kobolds within its reach were sucked in, then rolled around on the ground and then died.

However, since their numbers are ridiculous, the kobolds who were safe, simply changed course and moved around the fire storm.

But that still took time.

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「「「Wanwano!! Wanwano!!]]]
「He-help us!! Save my friend!!]

(Orvik)「Use the ring!! The return ring dammit!!]

「Ah!?」
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He looked like he had really forgotten, despite this being reported directly from the Guild Master.

While I thought in that way, those who were running away disappeared in a matter of seconds.

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(Orvik) [Yosh, they escaped. ]
[Orvik, we have to hurry!! ]
[Oh yes!! ]
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And so, we ceased our search after just one hour and returned to the guild.

When we got back, the wounded were receiving treatment from Lulu.

Oh, wait a minute, was Lulu-sama also here?

What a luxurious treatment.

「Excuse me. You are the team that dived into the same Dungeon as this party right? May I ask you what happened?」

Although we intended to report the situation to the Guild Master, a different person called out to us first.

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(Rahlie) Feh, isn't it Tori!? Riel too!? Why are you in this place! ?」
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Rahlie let out a voice full of surprise as I also noticed it.

Their appearance has made leaps and bounds in the really good direction, but this is indeed the face of Tori and Riel.

Both of them are adventurers of rank 6.

Recently, we lost contact though.....

(Orvik) Huh? But the two of you weren't with us on the ride here. Did you come in later?

(Tori) [Fetto, Orvik. Rahlie, please calm down and listen.....]

(Riel) [The Dungeon all of you entered was made by me Riel, Tori and Kaya!!]

(Kaya) [... Thanks.]

[[[Eeehhhhhh ! ?]]]

Riel was crazy as usual, but to think that she would become someone of this level of importance?

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Author's afterword

What do you think?

This is the mechanism of the adventurer guild of this world.

Oh, don't mind too much about Tanaka.

When it comes to Torino (Yuki), this will be a contest of end of century proportion.

They won't face each other for the time being.

Afterwards, quite the quantity of Wanwano gather!!

Editor's afterword

What a rude bunch for not calling the titles of princess and Saint properly.

But what should you expect from adventurers who were most likely born as peasants.

Trap 6 - Resident Problem

Preface of the Author
This time it's a serious "chat" about heavy matters.

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A resident problem.

side: Tori

As per the usual, I'm in the office working as a police officer.

Recently there was a massive immigration project from Ritea though and that caused an accordingly massive amount of problems as well.

(Police officer) \lceil Representative. There is an uproar at the training center. \rfloor (Tori) \lceil Can Riel deal with it? \rfloor

(Police officer) Representative Riel is currently addressing an issue in the Residential District.

(Tori) Why haven't the guards at the training center stepped in? J

(Police officer) How should I explain... the culprits are demanding to meet with the representatives. They want to talk about human rights.]

(Tori) [Haah, another baka1) Baka means idiot in Japanese. How about sending the fairies?]

(Police officer) Γ "Because the fairies are not humans, they should just shut their traps." Apparently. \rfloor

 $(Tori)^{\Gamma}$ fine. Please brief me on the situation. J

(Police officer) They have been confined inside a lecture room of one of the training buildings. There are 13 people.

(Tori) Very well. Let's go. Give me more details on the way. J

I said as i stood up from my chair.

I opened the door and headed towards training centre.

(Tori) \(\sumsymbol{\Gamma} \) So, where are they exactly? \(\sumsymbol{\Gamma} \) (Police officer) \(\sumsymbol{\Gamma} \) Yes, they are in the 4th building, lecture room B. \(\sumsymbol{\Gamma} \)

Due to the increase in number of immigrants, we've added two more training buildings. Now there is a total of 5. According to preliminary plans, there would have been 400 students undergoing basic education, in which case 2 buildings would have sufficed, but all education regarding general hygiene, such as toilets and baths, is taking much longer than expected, thus the increase in size of the education centre, so now are using up to 4 buildings, with the last acting as a reserve.

(Tori) How is the cohabitation between the different tribes and the humans coming along, well besides the fairies and humans...?

(Police officer) $^{\Gamma}$ Yes, the beast people and the fairies are getting along quite well together. \rfloor

 $(Tori)^{\Gamma}$ I hope everyone learns from that example. J

(Police officer) Γ I do as well. Don't be too happy though, a lot of humans are still acting haughty and elitist. Like this times "customers". \rfloor

 $(Tori)^{\Gamma}$ So it's like that huh. Well, for the time being, let's try to persuade them calmly, but be ready to subjugate them for exile if it doesn't work. \rfloor

(Police officer) Γ Yes, please focus on persuasion. I will properly prepare for the use of force. \rfloor

Situations like todays, be they small or large scale, simple or complex, we're receiving ever more cases like this everyday.

I'm seriously doubting whether they're even lending a single ear to our explanations.

Even if we explain everything perfectly, it feels like their views are just too narrow2) as in they are idiots.

While I was mulling over doubts, we arrived at the scene.

(Hoodlum) Stay back!! Call the representative!! There's a story I must tell them!! J

(Hoodlum) That's right, that's right!! The problems we've found, we need

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to talk about them with the representatives!! J
  \Gamma\Gamma\Gamma\gamma_{es}!!
 Ah, what a bother.
To go so far as to use a desk as a barricade, haah there's the cleanup afterwards
you know?
 (Tori) Yes, I'm representative Tori. Please remove the barricade immediately
and come over here. Or do you want to be charged with damaging public
property? So why are you doing this? J
 (Hoodlum) Oh, you came at last!! We wish for the restoration of human
rights!! ]
 (Tori) [Huh?]
 (Hoodlum) The lord here is Seraria!! So why are we treated like any other
race?! We ought to be treated like the more direct subjects of the lord that
we are!! I
 (Hoodlum) That's right!! Us humans are in charge!! J
  (Tori) So, what rules do you wish to have revised and in what way? J
 (Hoodlum) [..... ]
 (Hoodlum) [......]
 They became quiet and their gazes turned into glares.
  (Tori) How would you improve the rights? Can't you tell me? Or perhaps
you can't accept the policy Herge-sama and Seraria-sama established in which
everyone's equal? ]
 (Hoodlum) [Well, that's ... ]
 (Tori) Shall I remind you? In this place, it's possible to use every facility and
receive a high level of hospitality from the stores. J
 (Hoodlum) [Well, that's natural!! ]
  (Tori) Don't be foolish. Please be honest. Isn't the only thing you want
money? J
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(Hoodlum) [[Huh...!?]]

They all had their eyes rounded from the surprise.

(Tori) We have checked the identity cards and their history of everyone here. For what reason do you think we issued identity cards and made you register your family? You guys are bringing trouble to every facility you use and most stores you visit. What's more, you frequently commit acts close to robbery. We have traced the flow of your money and we know that you are scattering it in an improper way. Considering all of this, what could your goal here be, besides money?]

When I revealed one of the uses of an ID card, the eyes of the other immigrants who were watching the situation grew very cold.

That's natural. They realised these protesting people are merely acting selfish, just like kids.

After I said that, I took a look at the material I received from another staff member.

Hum? This is... Should get some consultation about it afterwards?

(Tori) There is no value, nor reason to accept your request. Then, here is your final warning. If you don't behave obediently henceforth, you will be arrested and sent for forced labor for months. Since you seem to hate the Dungeon and can't behave, the only alternative is exile, do you understand? J

(Hoodlum) Yo-You can't do that!! If you drive us out, we will spread a bad reputation!!]

(Tori) We are in contact with the neighboring country. We will place a slave collar on you before your exile. Don't worry though, you won't be treated like a slave. You would simply be unable to return to this Dungeon. Well, that collar also holds the implicit meaning that you were expelled because you were a nuisance to our Dungeon, so do your worst. Our friendly countries will just turn a blind eye to you. End of Story. J

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(Hoodlum) [[[... Huuh!!?]]]
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They seemed pretty upset and tried to vent their distress on the beast person and culprit before them.

... To be honest, even if it's a bad thing to say, I had already known that it would

turn out this way.

(Tori) Then, I'm restraining you. After the arrest, you will be expelled, so please do your best. J

(Hoodlum) Wait hhhh...!!]

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 $(Tori)^{\Gamma}$ that's what happened. \rfloor

(Riel) In the case i just resolved, an elf and a cat person in my neighborhood were quarreling. It was a classic case, with a difference in tribes as the root cause.

(Lutz) There's too many cases to count on my end, most of them are cases attempting to steal products from my shop. Well, since there is a magical barrier and they get paralyzed when they try to leave, they haven't actually stolen anything. The crime rate is especially high in Super Lutz, since there are a lot more commodities there. J

(Naruja) We've also got cases at the hotsprings in the entertainment facilities. Recently it has been on the decline, but there are still many fools who try to take out soap and shampoo. I was seriously angry at them.

(Millie) \(\int_{\text{......}} \) Naruja-san was kind enough to lend a hand. Thanks to her intercepting the thieves was much simpler then it would have otherwise been. \(\)

After I returned to the Inn at nighttime, judging by today's events it seems that everyone is having the same type of trouble.

(Yuki) Well, society is like that. Gradually raise the morals of the inhabitants. This is not something that can be achieved quickly. Educating a large volume of people is surprisingly difficult. One by one, residents will understand, they will in turn, then teach others. The most important thing is that. Are there improvements? J

(Tori) Yes, the troubles are decreasing on the whole, though it doesn't feel

like it. The issues that are arising are on average lessing in frequency, though they are also becoming more extreme, so each case needs more effort to resolve. Rather, most residents cooperate and try to stop inappropriate behavior that does not align with Herge-sama's wishes, there are ever more cases like this being reported too. J

After hearing the theory from Yuki-san, I recalled the various events of the last few days.

(Ellis) That's good. If you think about it carefully, there were a lot of issues in the beginning. J

(Lutz) I know right? All of a sudden, it wasn't possible for them to live in the same room as other races, even though they were fine up until that point!! They are just idiots. What they try to do makes me want to facepalm.]

However none mentioned any trouble equal to the one Seraria-sama mentioned next.

But for the first time, Seraria-sama seemed to have stumbled upon this one personally.

(Seraria) Assaulting a woman. Assaulting a child. Followed by rape. This kind of person should be slain. Seriously, I've seen something so filthy. The documents will arrive tomorrow, please process it Tori.

(Tori) 「Yes 」

(Seraria) Labiris. This is an outrageous crime I will never forgive, so please convey to the populace the situation during the next public information exchange meetup.

(Labiris) [... I understand.]

(Seraria) Ugh, there was waste everywhere. J

Seraria-sama said that, and jumped into Yuki-san's embrace.

(Yuki) ^ΓI'm sorry. J

(Seraria) \(\text{\Gamma} \)... This is not your fault. There's still hope for our goal. Such a thing happens everywhere, it's just that when I saw the scene, I couldn't suppress my emotions...... A woman in such a way..... \(\text{\J} \)

Yuki-san held Seraria-sama kindly in his embrace.

... Recently, Seraria-sama seemed to be clinging to Yuki-san more often.

(Seraria) And, enough of that topic. My dear, whatever happens, never resort to rape.]

(Labiris) Death wish. J

「「Buh」」」3) most likely SFX for spitting

With that single word, a heavy atmosphere set in.

(Yuki) There are many things in this world and even more kinds of people. I don't think it's possible for everything to turn out well. Even if simply because things turning out well for one person might mean things turning out badly for the next. Henceforth, please rely on each other more than ever. J

When Yuki-san said so, everyone nodded.

He's right.

This incident was sad, but this is not the end of everything.

I have to diligently tackle the next case.

Ah, it looks like tomorrow is going to be another busy day.

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Afterword of the author

Nothing is truly just.

Even where I live, there are various deep problems.

However, it is important move on, past them, and keep improving, doing your best everyday without forgetting.

Oh, it's impossible for Yuki to rape.

I think it would end up the other way around lol.

Trap 7 - Problems At School

side: Labiris

The school has become more lively since the emigration from Ritea started.

There's a new sight, there are now beastmen and elven children coming to school.

Those kids came from the orphanage, which Crack had raised money for.

Apparently they were forced out because they were bothering the orphanage.

Tout there the children have no future. Beastmen and elven children are treated like special spectacles or pets. That's why I wanted to help them, so I pushed them to the top of my priorities list. Besides them, I also brought some people that were working at the orphanage, so please use them at the school. J

Crack told me his story in this way.

Most of the children who came were suffering from malnutrition and needed hospitalization for a while, some even died.

At that time, Yuki's expression was something I don't even want to talk about.

Even though he was expressionless, he buried the important corpse of the child into the cemetery.

I don't know if this child was an acquaintance or a friend, but Yuki's mourning was real, he shed tears, bowed, and expressed his thanks.

Seeing Yuki's face at that time was difficult for me.

Perhaps Yuki... No I shouldn't make presumptions about things I know nothing about.

I don't know if it was related to the child's death but Herge-sama was in chaos at that time.

She broke out into tears when she saw the hungry children, since they were in such bad shape. And she was bawling when one of the children couldn't be saved anymore, she tried desperately to apply recovery magic.

When he died, Herge-sama entered desperation as she kept using her magic and just when Seraria-sama tried to calm her down, an ordinary bystander, a monster that just happened to be there busted into laughter with the worst timing. And because of that Seraria-sama...

(Herge) Stop laughing!! Stop!! Even though this kid did his best to live his daily life and just because his body couldn't keep up... You're going to mock him?!

Herge-sama who heard the laughter exploded.

Her's was a glare that could kill.

The ordinary man finally realized that Herge-sama was in pain because a child had died. He then kindly apologized and quickly left.

After Herge-sama held the child for a while and Seraria-sama finished comforting her, they left.

(Seraria) We need to move on to the next patient!! This child has died. You should entrust the rest of this matter to Yuki!! J

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(Herge) No!! I have to mourn..... J
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(Yuki) Are you afraid of being abandoned like that child? J

(Herge) [... Huh!? Such a reason is...]

(Yuki) Then Herge, stop hugging that child!! Leave this kid to me and save more lives!! Everyone has heard the circumstances. We decided that you belong in a place where you can save lives didn't we? So straighten your back, fake a smile, keep calm and carry on!! Life isn't some kind of ornament that waits until it's saviour happens to have time to catch it before it falls!! J

(Herge) Gusu1) SFX for sobbing... Yuki-san. I leave this child to you. I will be taking care of the next patient!!

Herge-sama said that as she left the child to Yuki. They both immediately ran off.

(Seraria) You need to be stronger Herge.... J

Seraria-sama saw Herge-sama's sorrowful eyes and tried to help.

But what she said was slightly off.

At the moment, there are various problems at school.

Oh, they're much better than the problems that the others have to deal with. Well.....

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(Child) Us kids definitely need to eat vegetables!! J
 (Child) Don't wanna!! Vegetables are disgusting!! ]
 Most problems are of this kind of magnitude.
In other words, about the likes and dislikes of meals.
Thankfully there aren't any racial problems.
Why you ask?
 (Child) That shouldn't be the case for an elf!! Elves are vegetarian right?!! J
 (Child) We're in the same race and yet you're so shameless!! I hate that kind
of thing!! ]
 (Child) Shut up!! You know we aren't actually vegetarian at our roots!!
Rather, it's because I like to eat meat meals here!! The taste of vegetables is
way too bad!! There's no problem here!! You herbivorous child!! J
 (Child) What is this carnivore saying?! What you said hit the point, that is if
you switch around all the vegetable and meat!! You should eat properly!! J
  Like this, the boys and girls separated, but they kept complaining and
screaming at each other.
 (Child) Shut it!! You are a herbivorous child!! J
 (Yuki) Hey, you'd better eat enough vegetables okay? J
 In the middle of this, Yuki asked a question.
This caused all the children's eyes to turn towards him.
  (Yuki) The truth is, you should eat vegetables. J
  (Child) See?! Don't bother sensei!! ]
 (Child) Uhgh!! Sensei, could you please comment on meat!! ]
  (Yuki) Course, you should also eat enough meat as well. J
  (Child) See?! You're the ones who shouldn't be bothering him!! ]
  (Child) No you're the one who can't see!! J
 Gyagya, they've begun making a fuss again.
What will you do Yuki?
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Like that, Yuki gave me a tired look with his eyes, breathed heavily and began to speak.

(Yuki) In other words, if you eat everything on your plate and don't leave anything, sensei would be happy. That's why I will give chocolate to Aslin, Philia, Labiris, Vilia and Hiro who all ate without leaving anything.

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(Child) [[eeeeEHHHHHHHH!!]]]
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(Yuki) \(\text{Of course, the children who eat properly can also have ice cream. \(\text{J} \)

(Children) [[Yattaaaa!!!]]]

If you say those kind of things then children would eat willingly.

In exchange, Yuki made an exhausted face.

Yep, he is being serious as a sensei.

(Yuki) [↑]... There was something like that. J

(Lutz) [Well, it's natural, they're children right~]

(Ellis) 「I agree with you. 」

After we had dinner at the Inn, we talked about various matters regarding school and then casually chatted for a while as we had tea.

(Lutz) Well, it's ok to mix vegetables and meat with curry, don't you think onii-san? I

Lutz proposed a solution.

Yeah, I think it's a good idea. It would hide the bits they don't want.

(Yuki) Would you prefer to eat a stew or curry every day? J

(Lutz) Oh, no, that's not something I want. J

Yes, that's something I would hate too.

(Ellis) That's right. That would be a problem, isn't it better to avoid this topic in the first place?

Ellis said that, she was trying to encourage the practice of eating diligently, regardless what was stacked up in front of you.

(Riel) I think you should leave them be. They will grow bigger if they eat

enough and instinctively know what's missing if they don't. Children are sensitive, that's why they don't like vegetables that have a peculiarly distinctive taste. I don't think they need to get used to it. J

Riel seems to think that they should be left alone.

Well, I understand her viewpoint, but we have to take care of the children's health.

(Seraria) On one hand they won't learn to look after themselves with too tight training, whereas with too little and they won't grow up healthily. Just like you start softening a battlefield with bows and then leave it to the swords.

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Seraria-sama actually said that.....
  [[That's not right]]
  Everyone vehemently denied her.
  (Yuki) But... The excuse. There was that kind of event... but... ]
 (Seraria) [ Hey, were you listening to me? ]
  (Yuki) Well, that's just like Seraria-sama. If someone can't swim in the ocean
you would just let him drown. It's not that they're picky about vegetables, or
that they're judging meat, but more like they feel like they don't need to eat it?
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 (Seraria) [Isn't that the point?]
 (Ellis) ... If you're talking about vegetables, then you need a nice place to
grow them. J
 (Riel) But you also need to hunt for the meat? J
  (Yuki) How would you get the children to hunt? J
 (Riel) What do you mean? I used to hunt for my meat. J
 (Lutz) Don't compare them to you Riel... J
 In that way, the conversation really got quite heated.
  (Yuki) Well, I have to experiment this once. Let's talk about this with Vilia and
Hiro next time. Those two always eat without leaving anything. J
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... Both of them actually dislike how basic vegetables are. But they always eat them because they want to be praised. I'm looking forward to the kids reactions next time.

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Afterword of the author

The first half was small stories and the second was a bit of a drama. School life is peaceful.

Chapter - 76 Injuries By The Dozens

side: Labiris

Fuu, it's good that no one suddenly died in the Dungeons.

But as far as I've heard, it seems that the adventurers have made a lot of mistakes.

Seriously, tactless humans are everywhere.

I think Yuki should just take full advantage of them.

Whilst I'm just mulling over options, Yuki's talking with the Guild Master.

He always works hard.

He himself doesn't seem to be aware of it, but we all know that Yuki is driving himself too hard.

I'm getting quite anxious that some random day he will just collapse.

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(Yuki) \( \text{T......} \) Then, how... Oh, yes...... \( \text{Rock} \) \( \text{That is......} \) Then how about...... \( \text{J} \)
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But watching his stoic profile while he's working so hard is wonderful.

Ah, what a dilemma.

So at the very least, to ensure Yuki's beauty sleep, I have to hypnotize him.

Yuki has consented, so I'm glad that I could do so without any hard feelings.

Including various other things, it's OK1) OK was in English in the raws.

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(Seraria) Hey, Yuki. What about the injured ones? Seraria-sama asked Yuki.
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(Yuki) Oh, for the time being, it seems that Herge and Lulu saved their lives...

However. J

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(Seraria) 「However?」
(Yuki) 「No that's .....」
(Rock) 「Let's talk about it normally.」
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(Seraria) Grandmaster, welcome, is there anything we can help you with?

While they were talking with Rock-san, the Grandmaster of Ritea's adventure

Guild came over, it seems he wants to convey something.

Did he come here because of some problem, I wonder? Well this is a gathering to discuss the current state of the Dungeon assessment and so all the adventurers are also here. Maybe he's looking for them?

(Grandmaster) Seraria-sama, are you looking forward to the ratings of the Dungeons?

(Seraria) Yes, of course. This is an important evaluation about the Dungeons we've made. It will be valuable information for the future.

(Grandmaster) That's certainly true. I completely agree. When they were still making the training Dungeon, they called for me to take a look, ohh man, my heart was throbbing in a way unworthy of my age. J

(Seraria) Ara, Grandmaster still has some active years left in him. J

(Grandmaster) Ho ho ho. And so, please listen to this story. As a matter of fact, it's actually quite embarrassing.

(Seraria) A request? What kind?

(Grandmaster) $^{\Gamma}$ No, nothing difficult. Thanks to the help of Lulu-sama, all of the injuries have almost recovered to the point where you can't even see anything. \rfloor

(Seraria) That's a good thing isn't it? J

(Grandmaster) Indeed, however they then said that they wanted to restart the Dungeon raid as soon as they had sufficient nutrition and received permission. Well, they probably feel ashamed. After all, they were done in by Kobolds. J

Ah, I see.

That's because they think it's a greenhorns mistake.

And because of that, they wanted to redeem themselves the very moment they recovered.

But to attack a Dungeon twice in one day...

(Orvik) Please don't bunch us up together with them. We do not wish to dive in again today. They are simply way too excited.]

(Orvik's party member) That's right. I agree with Orvik. At least for today, they should cut it out.]

(Orvik's party member) True, I also agree with Orvik. A rank 6 was defeated by Kobolds... That brings shame to the profession. Are they really rank 6? J

(Seraria) This Dungeon has usual settings so some hiccups are natural. But this is at a level where you could doubt the assessment they provide. J

As opposed to those, who intended to invade the Dungeon a second time, the party which had Tori and Riel's friend, was planning on starting to actually take studying the strategy guide seriously.

Well, of course they would after seeing that.

(Seraria) Which reminds me, Grandmaster and Rock-san. How is the Guild going to deal with such a blunder?

I almost forgot, they had made such a huge mistake.

And mistakes usually receive punishment. Would the Guild mete it out?

(Rock) Because there was no actual damage, there's practically no need for a punishment, however......]

(Grandmaster) This time is special though. There's the official testimony of the rank 7 adventurer Orvik. So we can't just claim nothing happened. Also there's the fact that rank 6 is supposed to guarantee a certain level of quality.....

Hearing the direction of the two's conversation, those concerned started looking worried.

Well, it's too soon to mete out a punishment, but I guess I'd like to do something about their rank, I mean to actually forget a safety line, which was specially prepared by the customer ... definitely not worthy of rank 6.

(Injured Adventurer) Please!! Somehow!! Give us another chance!!]
(Injured Adventurer) Please hear us out!!]

When the situation started developing in that direction, the other party raised their voices and lowered their heads.

(Herge) [Ehmm, that's impossible right now.]

(Lulu) At least not for today. You should rest for today at the very least. J Herge-sama and Lulu-sama who had arrived with them, protested.

(Lulu) Well, how about this then? Rest for today and we, the healers with the highest of skills, will ensure you can go tomorrow.

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(Herge) The highest... J
(Seraria) Ara, well. J
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For some reason, Herge-sama and Lulu-sama were making delighted expressions... Tch.

(Injured Adventurer) \(\text{No, that's... } \)

(Seraria) We're not done discussing their punishment yet. As far as I've understood, it seems like the mistakes they made in their first raid of the Dungeon was shameful in front of us, the Guildmaster, the Grandmaster and a princess. This a mistake which was made due to extreme levels of tension, precisely because of who is here for this assessment. Due to this, we shall extend the duration of the assessment quest by another 3 days, for a total of a week. In light of this agreement, why not postpone their punishments for now and observe them for the remainder of the request? It would be too cruel to punish them just because of how the situation is right now.

(Rock) [Certainly]

(Grandmaster) That's true. That's fine by me. Do you guys have any objections?

(Injured adventurer) Feh, as long as we can have another opportunity......]
It looks like they've reached a consensus for the moment.

(Injured adventurer) Wait just a minute!! Seraria there's something I need to hear from you!! J

(Seraria) Huh? From me? J

Eh, what?

Did you have something which involved Seraria-sama?.

Is it true that you are going to choose your husband from amongst the

adventurers who are capturing the Dungeons?!!J

The air froze.

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... Ah, got it.
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They apparently don't know that Seraria is called the war maiden and obviously also don't know that she has Yuki.

It is said that all the men who made advances up until now were thoroughly rejected and that she proclaimed that only a man from a foreign country, who was stronger than herself, would be able to marry her.

And suddenly here's the rating of the Dungeons.

This would look like a method to find such a manly man from the outside.

..... However, that couldn't be further from the truth.

The man who asked the question was, of course, serious, he intended to give it his all.

I mean, really, really serious.

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(Seraria) Puh, I'm sorry. Well..... J
(Yuki) Ohh? J
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Seraria-sama seized Yuki.

This is obviously an embrace.

(Seraria) Though it hasn't been officially announced yet, this is my fiancé. J

She gave it to the guy straight and with a bright smile. How vicious.

(Seraria) So the rating of the Dungeon is literally just an assessment quest. My choice of husband is this man and no other.

Thud

After he finished processing what Seraria-sama told him, the man fell to the floor.

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TOi, is he okay!?」
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THe's stopped breathing!?]

「Do-doctor!!」

Herge and Lulu hurriedly checked him.

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(Herge) 「..... He's just unconscious. 」
  (Seraria) Ara? But I was just being honest?
  ..... wasn't that a bit too rough?
  (Rock) Oh now that you mention it, this has yet to be made public huh. J
  (Grandmaster) [What? Rock? You already knew?]
 (Rock) Yes, I was informed when I first entered this Dungeon. J
  (Grandmaster) I understand. The war maiden..... This Yuki, isn't he just an
ordinary person?]
 (Seraria) That's how you see him. You see, I can see how rich his intelligence
is. J
  (Grandmaster) Weren't you looking for high abilities in combat and agile
movements? I
 (Seraria) Love is blind. It turns out that representative Yuki has a very solid
foundation in regards to desk work. That charmed me. J
 Though that may be true ... that wasn't what she first fell for sure.
  (Rock) It's painful to grow old and watch the new young...2) ED note: Give it
up man, you wouldn't be even worth comparing even if you were young J
 That's regrettable Rock.
He must think her thing for Yuki is just his intelligence, but there's more to him
than that.
No, maybe it's because of his abilities that he is able to win in the first place?
The person in question just had a big smile and said That's not it. It's more like I
rely on everyone else. 3) Not sure 俺なんか下から数えたほうが早い」
 (Seraria) Anyway, we won't be limiting the restarting of Dungeons to
tomorrow for all adventurers. How about it Orvik? Wanna have another try? J
 (Orvik) No, we won't go again for today. Because the kobolds are still in a
frenzy. J
  (Seraria) [Umu, that's a good move. ]
  (Rahlie) Well, with this I got reunited with a lost friend, there's a lot of
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catching up to do. J

(Riel) Ho ho ho, I was surprised to meet one of our good friends. J

Rahlie is an honest girl, she intends to hang out with Tori and Riel for today.

(Seraria) \(\screen{\screen{substant} \screen{substant} \screen{s

(Grandmaster) Because the other Dungeons are more normal, the schedule should remain the same and they should be continuing the capture right now. Well this is the first day, there will be many teams that will decide to return after doing a preliminary scouting run, just like Orvik's party. J

So the others should be able to stay on track huh.

While I was nodding at Rock-san's conjecture, Seraria-sama came over still confining Yuki in her arms.

(Seraria) Grandmaster, Guild master, you should be right. But just to be safe, when the adventurers return, please inform them about my future marriage.

(Rock) Are you sure? J

(Seraria) Just a moment ago someone of his level had expectations, it's pitiable.]

(Grandmaster) I saw it. But isn't that better? It's not like I want to belittle Yuki but aren't there better choices? Seraria-sama, there may be a man more worthy of your heart amongst them. J

Carefully, the Grandmaster tried to tell her that this would be a waste, but she kept smiling....

(Seraria) That won't do. There is only Yuki in my eyes. J

(Rock) Hey, hey, there, that's some overly excessive meddling for an old man. Apologies, then I will convey your message to them.

(Seraria) Yes, please do. J

After that, some of the adventurers who returned early from their examination like Orvik's party suffered from respiratory failure.....

Men who had the dream of marrying a Princess. How pitiable.

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Afterword of the author

How about that, isn't it horrible!!

After all, it's how Seraria feels!!

Also, do your best to bear the feeling of a man and endure it inside your chest, even if it hurts!!

I might take a day off from writing tomorrow.

Chapter 77 - Duel Start!!

======== Preface of the Author About Yuki's abilities!! ======== Duel start!! Side: Yuki (Grandmaster) Right then, The duel will start when I say Start! . Is that okay?] The other guy nodded. (Grandmaster) Yuki, is it fine with you too? J Hah, why did it come to this... We were currently at the Adventurer Guild's training place. I received a sword, and it seems that I am going to be forced to fight this guy. (Opponent) The con-condition..... J (Seraria) No need. My husband will definitely not lose. No, in fact, this level of trouble can simply be shrugged off by my husband. J Wha-, Seraria!! She keeps blocking my escape routes. Wait a minute. If I lose, wouldn't this just draw a close to my marriage with

(Seraria) $^{\Gamma}$... Don't even try thinking about something stupid. I can feel some weird air around you from here. \rfloor

(Yuki) 「... Hey that's mean.」

Seraria?

Well, it's not like I dislike Seraria, I'm thankful for her political weight and her strength, but that's all. In addition to that I don't know any of her goals. Well I guess I can't cut ties with her, I guess that's the problem?

Seriously though, why did this have to happen.....

The cause of this was the fact that I am Seraria's husband and of course, she had to tell all the adventurers who had hopes.

Then the next morning after the adventurers returned alive from their respiratory failure, I was challenged to a duel. Normally I would refuse, but someone is sabotaging my escape routes.

To top it all off, I also receive some disturbing attention now.

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(Adventurer) [Excuse me, can I talk with you for a sec quick? ]

(Yuki) [Yes, what is it? ]

(Adventurer) [Are you called Yuki? Seraria's prospected husband-to-be? ]

(Yuki) [Yes, that's right, but why are you looking for me? ]
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After I answered that, all the adventurers started staring at me.

From top to bottom.....

Even if I am a man, this kind of gaze hurts!!

I understood why animals in zoo are prone to stress.

Perhaps you wouldn't be exposed to stress if you became a madman.

(Adventurer) $^{\Gamma}$ Sorry for my impoliteness but it looks like you have never held a sword. \rfloor

(Yuki) Well, that's because I haven't. I am a civilian. That's all, though I can kinda use a bit of magic.]

When I said that, the adventurers expressed their astonishment, whereas the girls on the other hand.....

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(Millie) Kinda? a bit? What's up with that? J
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(Lutz) Γ ... Well, it's just same old, same old. Onii-san never changes, as good as ever with the art of conversation. I

(Labiris) $^{\Gamma}$ He's frauding, or perhaps we can detain him for violating the rules? J

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(Lutz) Trust us. We can't even get close to him. J
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(Riel) Yes, that time was terrible. I was blown off in one shot. J

(Labiris) Γ His way of fighting is fundamentally completely different. \rfloor (Seraria) Γ However, I have never seen Yuki-san in close combat. \rfloor

(Ellis) [Well, Yuki-san did say he's not the CQC type. He is the support type.]

(Delille) Γ Whence doth this support type obscure his fortitude and ascendancy that hath the competence to crusheth both thou and Mine life in but a single blow... \rfloor

(Lulu) $^{\Gamma}$... Because I have seen it once, I can guarantee that he is a better at using recovery magic than us as well. \rfloor

Previously, I had a practice battle with the girls before the defensive battles. Well, it turned out that besides the battle with Aslin, Philia, and Labiris, they stayed within the realms of common sense.

Since a large scale battle was very different and may have held surprises, I trained a little to try to synchronize my individual skills and my consciousness as much as possible.

During that time, I received a wife, uhh, Hooray! I guess. Well, I had one mock battle with her aswell and I won one-sidedly, after that it was just training.

Then, everyone's hard work paid off and the defensive battle turned out a huge success.

I wasn't able to hold onto my troop though.

(Adventurer) Γ Excuse me. I heard that you were a civil official... \rfloor

(Yuki) Yes, that's correct. J

(Adventurer) \(\sum_{\text{......}}\) Wait a minute. Seraria-sama, could you please lend an ear? I would like to ask you something... \(\sum_{\text{.....}}\)

(Seraria) \(\text{What? } \)

(Adventurer) Seraria-sama, I heard that your marriage partner must be stronger than you?]

(Seraria) That's right. J

(Adventurer) ... Ah, eto. Excuse me but, Yuki-dono is a civilian and no matter how I look at it, I don't think he'd ever be able to win against Seraria-sama...]

(Seraria) He is in a league for himself. Besides, he saved my life. I think that qualifications wise, that it's more than enough for him to be my husband.

Seraria answered honestly.

Well, I guess she was talking about training.

At that time, it wasn't only Seraria who had participated.

At the battle of the wives, Seraria and Delille took the front while Riel, Tori, Kaya and Lutz were acting as their support.

Millie and Ellis were overlooking us from afar with bows.

At which point upon my experience of experimenting on top of experiments, I developed my barrier N°14 that stopped all of the girls.

My barrier N°14 is a multi-layered barrier.

First, a magical barrier against physical and magical damage is expanded.

It consists of 14 layers, with pure water between each acting as a buffer.

I also added electricity to the surface of the outside layer, making anything that makes contact receive a shock.

Well, the first, Seraria, was instantly knocked out by it.

Delille endured it for awhile, but after she forced her way through 5 layers, she couldn't move anymore.

Meanwhile, Tori and the others who were supporting received some flame bombs as they approached.

I could only do something of that level because of the Guardian Appointment.

I was shocked at the sea of flames that appeared.

Though I knew that the principle behind it is simple, actually using it was a little scary.

After asking around a bit, why magic appears in your hands and is then released, I concluded the following.

You focus your magic in one place, decide what it should do by strongly imagining and then carry it out.

In other words, as long as someone can imagine and has a feel for it, he can use magic.

The amount of magical power someone can use and how fast it regenerates depends on individual talent.

And you can't manage to commit if you can't picture it in your head clearly

enough.

Something I discovered though, is a detail in the Lance system and the Storm system. The Lance system was made to fire javelins repeatedly. In order to do this, you summon javelins around yourself and fire them at will. However you cannot specify a place to summon them. They simply appear and then follow the caster as if of their own volition, awaiting their orders, though the time limit is pretty short.

The Storm system however, is the opposite regarding targeting, also it has a much lower cap in regards to raw power since it activates right next to the caster. So when you cast a storm spell it is possible to specify where around you the spell appears, however once casted, one can only pour more power in it. The main problem is that as you cannot cast it at a longer range, the danger of your comrades and yourself getting involved is very high. Especially if you are trying to cast a large-scale fire type magic for example.

That's when it dawned on me.

I can abuse and combine the two systems. All I need to do is get the range and targeting from the Lance system and the precision of activation and raw power from the Storm system.

In other words, by casting an empty javelin and firing the nothing spell I can trace the route it would take and by replication, reinforcement and creating something like an imaginary cable that follows the line that the empty spell took. After the line has been established, it's possible to amass magic at the other end of it and then cast a storm spell as per normal there.

This is what I came up with in order to use ranged bombardment tactics.

1) ED note: This part is way longer than the raw and more heavily edited as to make it easier for the readers to understand. IT WAS SO ANNOYING AND FRUSTRATING. End of rant

Anthy note: This is what I talked about in the announcement, if you have any questions please write them in the comments. There might be adjustments later as we learn more about the magic system.

Do I really need to have it slowly approach you? It would be easier to present it in the form of a bomb.

That's what I thought.

Because of that, Tori and the others were annihilated by the explosion.

Ellis and Millie surrendered on the spot.

Actually I could handle everything easily.

Sadly, the beast girls Tori and Riel have very scarce magic reserves.

They used solidified magical power and spent it all on trying to pierce their opponent, they didn't even use any magical power to make it rotate.

And so, it was just stopped with a boing on the point of contact.

Their amount of magical power is low after all.

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(Adventurer) He is a civilian, but he is stronger than Seraria? J
(Seraria) That's right. J
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When the adventurer who asked Seraria received her response, he slowly turned towards me.....

(Grandmaster) Yuki-dono, I'd like to make a proposal. Would you please show me the skills with which you won against Seraria? J

Eh, don't wanna.

Why do I have to expose my cards?

I was specially acting as a civilian to claim the fact that I can't do anything!!

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(Yuki) Sorry... ]
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(Seraria) Feh, I don't mind. You can have a round against my husband. J

(Yuki) \(\text{Wait, what ! ? } \)

(Seraria) That's fine right? Dear, that would make for a good scene in which you can prove yourself suitable to me. J

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(Yuki) 「..... And your real intentions? 」
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(Seraria) Γ I'd like to see my dear in close combat. Thanks to yesterday's mess. You have no ways of rejecting. \rfloor

That was calculated?!

Seraria's a scary mastermind!!

(Seraria) My husband will win without the use of magic!! Because, that should be sufficient.

Seraria meddled further.

The adventurers began to get wrapped up in an intimidating aura.

(Adventurer) \(\subseteq \) So, magic can't be used? That is appreciated. \(\subseteq \)

I'm starting to get angry, i'll seriously go mad!!

You're showing a graceful and peaceful face. That makes it worse!

(Grandmaster) Γ Ho ho ho. I, the Grandmaster, will personally oversee this duel. \rfloor

Ugyaa, even more trouble came!?

(Rock) Since there will be no magic, the training grounds at the Guild is a sufficient place. J

The old man Rock announced that we were going to fight at the training ground of the Guild.

(Aslin) Onii-chan do your beessstttttt!! J

(Hiro) Nii-sama is the strongest in the world!! J

(Philia) Conii-sama's gallant figure... I don't have a camera!! J

(Vilia) Onee, calm down. You can use the functions of Call. J

The chibis added their cheering, I truly wasn't able to refuse anymore.

Because today was the day Vilia and the others would be going to the child's Dungeon. It couldn't be helped that they were motivated, right?

When we were ready to start, the Grand Master was, of course, laughing in delight, swung his hand downwards.

(Grandmaster) [Hajime! 2) Start/Begin!]

The adventurer in front of me is alertly watching me and his sword is steady. It felt like he wouldn't miss any opportunity.

It was a big difference from the adventurers who were driven out by kobolds.

(Opponent) Γ ... With my Bastard sword, I will show her why she should have chosen me instead of you...... \rfloor

Saying so, he rushed in like the flash.

(Opponent) Civilian, to handle a sword is an art, more difficult to perfect than

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magic!! ]
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In a fluid motion out of approaching me and into bashing his sword swung at me from my diagonal upper right with tremendous power.

Oops, it looks like if I received that with my hand, it would go numb for a while~.

Even if my level is high, scary things are still scary.

Byun!!

Together with a nice ring, my sword parried from upper right into lower left, as I leant to the right and took a few steps back.

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(Opponent) [ Huh!?]
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The other party distanced himself quickly.

Why are you taking your distance, where is the follow up? Either way round 1 didn't work.

(Grandmaster) [Ho hou. That's pretty amazing.]

The voice of the Grand Master.

(Rock) Masaka 3) Impossible, Yuki-dono, for all this time... J

(Grandmaster) Oya, Rock, you didn't know either? J

(Rock) Because he has only ever used magic until now. J

(Grandmaster) My goodness, that's terrible. He wasn't a long distance, but a close ranged type? J

What I did was easy and simple, but I still received praises.

Making use of my status, I retreated and shifted my sword a little.

In other words, it was parrying.

The means of dealing damage with weapons is limited because they are weapons.

It is a basic skill, to the point of being a need, to read your enemies options when you fight.

In the case of my opponent, he is wielding a big sword called a Bastard sword.

The big sword bashes its enemies by making use of its heavy weight.

In other words, it's not something that you can easily clash with from up-front.

This world is unreasonable with level and status, but if you defend against someone that has a Bastard sword head one, the Bastard sword will claim first place.

If you want to attack in rapid succession, you can use a one or two handed swords instead.

If you want to accurately stab, then you can use a rapier.

You can also fight with gloves like Delille. She fights with her hand to hand skills.

Well, it's easy to say, but it's scary to fight for real.

I've always thought that, but recently, I've been fighting more and more outrageous monsters as I leveled. I'm getting comfortable with fighting.

Ah, of course. I was pretending to go the bathroom at those times.

Fouh!!

Bunh!!

Such sounds echoed through the training grounds.

(Opponent) Damn, what with your reaction. Seraria-sama's story was a lie all this time......]

My opponent took distances from me.

(Opponent) [However, it's not by avoiding like a willow that you'll win!!]

(Yuki) \(\text{Willow you said. } \)

(Opponent) Feh? J

Closing to opponent in a flash as he closed his eyes.

Let's think of the timing in a blink.

Gakin!!

For the first time, sword collided against sword.

Ara, he was able to react, what you'd expect from someone high ranked. Just like this, our swords were still colluding.

(Yuki) Nugugugugu... His power here, it seems to be above.....!! J

(Opponent) [Guguh!!]

No, it looked like I was pushing hard but it's an act.

(Opponent) [1'II push you to the end!!]

Therefore, he putted power as he had declared.

Slup.

That way, I suddenly pulled my sword, reducing the power. It broke his balance.

Of course, the man was trying to collapse onto me.

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「GAh...!?」
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A thick sound was heard when the man fell down, his face hitting the floor, facing the ceiling.

This right hand was on his left side.

In other words.

His jaw was beautifully broken.

... Ah, his jaw was probably crushed.

(Grandmaster) [Victory!! The winner is Yuki-dono!!]

[[[00000 ! !!]]]

That way, everyone around cheered me, but that's not all.

The man was going bikun bikun4) twitching and his eyes were turning white.

Even if I wasn't allowed to use recovery magic, I had no choice but to use it in the end!

(Seraria) [... Ah, you're lovely. My husband.]

(Lulu) Fei, it's not the time to be blushing, you have to treat him quickly!! It's bad, the chin is totaly broken!! J

I managed to return Lulu to sanity somehow and the man was saved without any troubles.

By the way, Lulu was saying that there was a crack to the skull after the jaw was crushed.

..... Hey there, you had to train at least as much as Kiyu.

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Afterword of the author

It was not confirmed.

Well, you have seen a part of it.
Also, he explained the rules of magic...

Chapter 78 - Injuries Are Increasing

Side: Steve

Specie: Goblin army leader

It's bad. Real Bad.

I really won't survive getting involved with the General's wives.

No, well that's not really fair. Realistically it's just one.

His other wives are harmless, Delille is well just a little, you know, but on the inside she's surprisingly normal.

However, Miss Seraria is a big no-no.

Why? Because she refuses to obey the General. That's a big no-no!!

(Aslin) \(\subseteq \text{Steve, you can't get injured!! } \)

At the feet of the General was our little o-hime-sama1) Princess, she was giving me her support, like a cute cheerleader.

Ohh!! I can feel motivation rising!!

(Seraria) Steve, you don't have to go easy on him. J

Wait a minute. What's motivation again?

With perfect timing, Seraria nee-chan interjected.

(Seraria) Steve, Vilia and Hiro came today Aslin in the lead. You can't show them anything strange alright?

Oni2)Demon huh!!

The General also had to fight with such a feeling a while ago!!

Of all things, to use children! 3) Basically she is using the fact that there are children present as a reason to make it more difficult for Steve

Hey, General!!

I sent a meaningful glance to the General, asking him to put his wife in order.

He raised his hands and glanced away, my plea was rejected...

Hurgh, I have no allies here!!

Uh, how did it come to this.....

I started reminiscing as I looked at my reflection in my practice longsword.

==== Jump in time to the past ====

Right after the General won against the adventurer.

At that time, Squad A was stationed at the entrance to the Adventurer Guild, while I was inside checking the current situation with the Guild.

(Adventurer) [Uh? Why is there a Goblin here?]

So, I was noticed by an adventurer.

(Adventurer) A monster... Why is it not attacking us? J

(Adventurer) Hey now, earlier today, there was an explanation that the monsters outside of the Dungeon District are under control.

(Adventurer) Oh, that reminds me, he's wearing the security armband. J

That's right, so please leave me be.

Then I'll be able to leisurely enjoy my grape juice.

Ah, by the way, we monsters who are defending the city are receiving a tentative salary for the time being.

The people of the city were told, that we aren't dangerous.

Thanks to that, we've been sincerely guarding the city, schools, shops, and training centers; getting along well with the inhabitants.

Well that said, today is my holiday.

Because of their arrival my break was ruined!!

Even when I thought I would be able to play cards after a long time.....

Thanks to the General, our head is pretty good, he made us capable of remembering things and we had a fun time learning a lot to the point where we could read, write and do calculations.

Also we got to play games.

As for the wives, we could receive their requests, because we felt that they could be trusted.

That's how I was thinking, until the recent duel with the general.

(Adventurer) [Hey, is this Goblin part of the security that is said to be really strong?]

(Adventurer) Don't be stupid. A goblin? What rank is it regarding Guild's subjugation?

(Adventurer) True, it's a mere rank 2 for beginners and yet the defense is entrusted to that? Are those guys employed by Seraria-sama's husband?

(Adventurer) Now that you mention it, that really could be the case, that crazy guy......]

Don't stare so much!!

I'm not interested in a man!!

(Adventurer) Some of the Lord or Knight Goblins are ranked 3 or 4 aren't they?

(Adventurer) Ah, if you're around rank 4, you can't possibly serve as a security guard right?

(Adventurer) That might be the case, but either way, I haven't seen him wearing anthing like that? He is also too small to be a Knight or a Lord.]

(Adventurer) True, he is just a Goblin equipped with fancy clothes. Wild ones have straw pants and a crude weapon.

Hey, don't compare me with the wild exhibitionist bunch outside!!

When we had the spare time, I went outside of the Dungeon and witnessed the sad madness of my fellow kin outside!!

What's more they don't even bath, I don't want to be seen in the same light as those perverts!!

Those exhibitionists I just mentioned were exterminated by our unit.

Mou, were all scarred for life!!

People who have a hard time imagining it, can imagine the following.

Imagine you and your acquaintance are suddenly dumped into the Victorian era

where the streets stink and are full of excrement. Then some random stranger runs up to you for a hug, to top it all off he/she/it doesn't even bathe or

shower!!

(Seraria) [Is something wrong I wonder?]

(Adventurer) [Seraria-sama!?]

(Adventurer) No, but that monster, the Goblin, he walked inside the Guild earlier. Is the monster part of the security?

(Seraria) Γ Huh? All guards in the security wear this armband. Didn't you hear the explanation? \rfloor

(Adventurer) No, I was listening, but I'm surprised to see a Goblin being part of the security. J

(Seraria) Oh right, but he is. J

(Adventurer) [Umm well ... though I am being impolite, but are you sure that it is suitable for security......]

(Seraria) 「I understand ne ~ 」

Ah, I had a bad feeling.

Seraria nee-san's eyes squinted and there was a smell of danger in the air!! When you first see her, you would think she is just hot-blooded.

I don't want to be a part of this.

I think I'll just slip away silen—

Gashi

Grabbed by the nape of my neck, I was pulled to Seraria nee-san.

(Seraria) Where are you trying to go Steve? J

(Steve) Go, Gobu..... (N-no, I'm part of the security, it's time that I go on a patrol so......)

(Seraria) Ara, how diligent. Your raising your voice because you're worried about the security? But don't we have an incident right here? We should take care of this lacking image they have of you first and foremost.

Wearing a beaming smile, Seraria nee-san abducted me.

==== Jump in time into the present ====

This was the result.

(Seraria) Well, now we have a representative guard of our city. Steve, a monster Goblin. Earlier some adventurers came talking to me about the Goblins asking if it was okay for them to be part of the security force. That's a bad image. Because of that, I want the adventurers to feel their skills by fighting with the Goblin Steve. Of course you can try to kill, you can kill him without

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worries. I
 Wow!!
  (Seraria) [Well, because you all don't have any motivation, let's make it 1 gold
coin if you can defeat Steve. J
  (Adventurers) [[Ooooo!!]]]
 Ugiyaaaaaaaaaa, totally outrageous damn what she said!
At least for the General there was no killing!!
Human rights... No, I really wanted to cry out loudly about living being's rights!!
I'm alive after all!!
 (Philia) <sup>↑</sup>Steve, do your best like nii-sama!! J
  (Vilia) Work hard like onii-sama, Steve. I think you can, but... ]
 (Hiro) Onee, that's not something you should be saying. J
 Kuu, the General has preferential treatment.
 (Seraria) Now, are you ready to fight? J
 Seraria nee-san called out towards the area where we were about to fight.
  (Steve) Gobu.. ? (What about them, can I kill them?) J
(Seraria) Nope. No good. J
 (Steve) Gobu!? (So Cruel!?) J
 While I was asking that, an adventurer from earlier came forward.
 (Adventurer) One gold coin. Well, I want to say that I am not attracted by it,
but know that I am also interested in the competence of that Goblin. Let me be
your opponent. J
 Well, mou, can I run away already?
  (GrandMaster) Ho ho ho. This looks interesting. Seraria-sama, can I watch
this? I
 (Seraria) Yes, please do so. J
  My way out!?
If I ran away now, they would reduce my salary!?
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Oni4)Demon!! Akuma5)Demonl!! With those Half finished breast of yours!! It should be either big for hope or flat for justice!!

(Seraria) \(\text{....} \) Salary reduction \(\text{....} \)

(Steve) \(\text{Gobiyu} \)? GObuuuuuu !! (You can read minds!? That's tyrannical discrimination! !) \(\text{.....} \)

(Seraria) \(\text{Not if you win. Easy right?} \)

Mou, I won't be able to leave for a while!!

Let's knock him into the ground quickly!!

Which reminds me, this guy is heavily involved with the cause of all this!!

(Seraria) \(\text{Vwell then......} \) You two. Hajime! 6) Start/Begin! \(\text{.....} \)

Seraria-sama gave the signal.

(Steve) \(\text{Gobuuuu} \) ! (Rest in piecesss !!) \(\text{......} \)

(Adventurer) \(\text{Uwa7} \) Surprised sfx !? \(\text{........} \)

As for the result, because I have overdone it, the treatment fees would be deducted from my salary.

..... That's too much.

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Afterword of the author

Yes, it was a story from Steve.

In the meantime, it also served for Seraria's purpose of showing to the adventurers that they can't mess with the security.

Half of it was for her own amusement though...

I will give a silent prayer for Steve's wallet.

Trap 8 - Children Are Always Growing

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side: Vilia 1) ヴィリア
  Spread out in front of me is the inner part of a dark and concealed passage.
The very beginning already has a bad atmosphere.
  (Vilia) \( \text{Uhhh......} \)
  I'm now inside the Dungeon for children.
Onii-sama, I'm scared.
  (Yuki) 「You don't have to be scared. You can go in Vilia. 」
 Talking to me in that way, Yuki onii-sama stroked my head.
But, scary things are still scary.
  (Hiro) Conee is scared. J
  He said that to blame me, but he's definitely scared himself. He's gripping
onii-sama's clothes and wasn't willing to let go.
  (Vilia) Hiro keep your hands to yourself. J
  (Hiro) [No]
  (Vilia) \( \text{Why not? It's impolite.} \)
  (Hiro) I wasn't saying that I'm not afraid. J
 This kid~!!
  (Hiro) [Ihiya, ihiya! Onii, onee is bullying me.]
  (Vilia) What! ? Onii-sama for this, he needs discipline desu !! ]
  (Yuki) [I know. But let's be kind to each other a little. Hiro, I don't need to
remind you but don't be too selfish okay? J
  (Hiro) [Oh onii... I understand]
  (Vilia) Why are you listening to what onli-sama says!! J
(Hiro) Onee's words are mixing with something else I
  (Vilia) \( \text{Ugh2} \text{Dispirited sfx!} \)
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I'm envious... Don't think about it, don't think about it desu.

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}Yosh$, I understand. Do your best today and we will see each other this evening. \rfloor

(Vilia) [Really!?]

(Hiro) 「... I'll do my best. 」

Hiro immediately released Onii-sama's clothes and walked forward in front of me.

(Hiro) Onee you're slow. I will quickly capture this Dungeon and stay for the night.

(Vilia) [I am in good condition!!]

I said that and chased after Hiro inside the Dungeon.

(Yuki) Well, Vilia, Hiro. Even if it's painful, work hard. J

In the back onii-sama muttered such a thing.

(Lulu) Did everyone understand that? Monsters are scary living creatures. Until now, due to demons, many lives were lost, villages and towns, and even countries have been destroyed.

Back then, our usual group 3-1 was studying monsters.

It's been two months since we came to this Dungeon and started school.

Many other children have also started going to the school building.

We, children who came from Rochelle were deemed third grade3) https://www. tokyo-icc. jp/guide_eng/educ/01. html , thanks to Yuki sensei who had seen a certain academic ability within us.

So we got a promotion? There were some children that had difficulty, but Yuki-sensei taught them well and they started catching up properly.

Yuki-sensei himself seems to have thought it impossible to reach that level of academic ability in just two months.

I hate studying. I remember saying that to a child who was not good at studying when I helped him as we studied together.

Simple addition and subtraction are easy.

Characters can now be read and written easily.

According to Yuki sensei this speed is abnormal so he said \[\textstyle{\textstyle{\textstyle{1}}}\] Perhaps it's because they can understand the meaning of the characters? \[\textstyle{\textstyle{1}}\] didn't understand the hard words and couldn't recognize some of the characters but there's others that \[\textstyle{1}\] do know.

When you live in the slums, it's natural to remember random things, such as the characters.

Such characters that we'd seen often are easy for everyone to remember.

Yuki sensei is always doing his best when he teaches us, he makes many strange faces as we eagerly listen to him.

(Yuki) \lceil Children, it's important to play, but that doesn't mean you can do whatever pleases you \sim \rfloor

(Yuki) [Isn't it hard to only study?]

I often hear things like this.

But, we aren't suffering when we study.

No, one part of the children aren't quite keeping up, but in that case, Yuki sensei will help them until the gap in studying is filled.

Here's what he said.

(Yuki) Someday, I wish for all of you to do your best and fulfill your dreams. Like helping me with this Dungeon, being an adventurer, becoming a merchant or going to another country. These are all good examples of dreams you should jump on board with.

Yuki sensei saved our lives.

Onii-sama gave everyone warm beds, and meals.

Tch, but Onii-sama, he isn't caring for himself at all.

Every time, he speaks for the sake of everyone.

Daiichi Daiman Daikichi 4) 大一大万大吉, something along the lines of: One for All, All for One brings excellent luck

It's a weird word that Onii-sama taught us.

Because everyone's alone, if one helps everyone else, then everyone else would help him to find happiness.

I think that's a beautiful idea, but sensei said that it is very difficult to implement this saying.

For that reason, we quietly decided the following.

Let's do our best to study and help Onii-sama.

Because after all, Onii-sama's saying Daiichi Daiman Daikichi has to come true properly.

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(Lulu) \( \text{Lulu} \) \( \text{Constant A-chan? Vilia-chan? Were you listening?} \) \( \text{Vilia} \) \( \text{Constant A-chan? Vilia-chan? Were you listening?} \) \( \text{Vilia} \) \( \text{Vilia} \) \( \text{Constant A-chan? Vilia-chan? Were you listening?} \) \( \text{Vilia} \) \( \text{Vi
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While I was thinking about such things I didn't notice that Lulu-sensei was calling out to me.

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(Lulu) How is everyone doing? Please let me know if you aren't feeling well.]

(Vilia) We're okay.
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I was surprised after hearing that Lulu-sensei is in fact the Holy Woman from the Holy Country Ritea.

But despite that she seems to be living in this Dungeon in various ways, mainly working in hospital and school.

Somehow she looks alike to Yuki.

She's a formidable woman, doing more than one job at once.

..... The breasts of that saintly woman, they're overwhelming.

(Lulu) Well, I'll repeat what we just discussed. Monsters originally attacked others in order to live. There are very few monsters that are friendly, have intelligence and are able to have a conversation like the ones in this Dungeon. We may be able to employ monster subordinates of people with the tamer skill, but even they won't be given the same amount of freedom as the monsters of the Dungeon.

Lulu-sensei was teaching us about the existence called monsters.

There are a lot of children who are wondering how does it feel to get attacked outside.

There were very few children who had encountered demons in the past.

Usually, children wouldn't be allowed to go to places where monsters are known to appear until they're a lot older.

(Lulu) Muu, It looks like I have chosen my words a little too lightly. They attack. There's no doubt about it. However, an attack in this case means death.

[[[; !]]]

Lulu-sensei nodded as she saw our surprised looks.

(Lulu) That's a better face. No, it would be half as bad if the only thing that happens to you is mere death. There's various kinds of monsters. For example, giant spiders5) Said in katakana which look like big Spiders, will lay eggs inside a person, for the sake of their children's meals during early growth.

「Hii」

One of the children screamed.

Yeah, If I wasn't as shocked I probably would have as well.

(Lulu) Don't expect women to die easily, especially against humanoid monsters. No, the end-result would still be death. The same races as the guards over there, Goblins, Orcs and Kobolds, they can mate with almost any humanoid creature. In other words, women would be used until their death to increase the monster's own kinship. Of course, whether you are an adult or a child, doesn't matter. If you're already capable of conceiving it's fine to them, but if not there's only one outcome, you'll be violated and killed. Even when you die, you'd still be used a while. There's various meanings behind this. J6) Anth: Lulu-sensei what are you teaching to the kids:'(Chill: Yup, way hard-core, isn't that the point of protecting them in the Dungeon? They can learn later...)Face: Isn't it to teach them the dangers so they won't try to get friendly with goblins from outside the dungeon? Especially since they have friendly goblins there kids might misunderstand that

When she said that, everyone instantly went silent.

Surely, these are stories I had heard before, but the amount I understood was clearly far too different when Lulu-sensei seriously told us.

(Lulu) It all well and good to describe the fear of monsters with words, but the monsters outside are seriously far more dangerous than words can describe, this Dungeon is the exception, not the other way around, remember that. Sometime in the future, I believe there will be children who would choose to leave the nest offered by this Dungeon. So please, never forget about the danger known as "monster". J

I remembered her words now.

「Ghehyah!!」

Although there was a goblin in front of me who looked exactly like the goblins inside the city, it wasn't the same at all.

That little goblin who suddenly found and jumped at us, suddenly started swinging his club.

「Kya7)High pitched female sfx!?」

Involuntarily, I closed my eyes.

SFX:Gang.

With such a sound, I opened my eyes only to see Onii-sama countered the club with a sword.

Ahh, he's so cool.

(Yuki) Vilia, I know how scary it is, but despite that you should never close your eyes. And the only thing I can do is guard against it. Vilia, Hiro, you have to knock down that monster. J

Onii-sama looked at us, he said that without any hesitation before staring again carefully at the Goblin.

If the only thing we had to do was to knock it down.....

(Yuki) To knock down means to kill. It might be painful if you think about it, but you have to firmly ensure it dies.]

(Vilia) 「Eh」

(Hiro) Onii... That Goblin. He might be one of Steve's friends..... J

It was as Hiro said.

No matter how I look at it, he is the same family as Steve, a Goblin who always protects us.....

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}...$ No, he isn't a friend. Steve and the others wouldn't dare raise their hands against Vilia and the other children. Didn't Lulu tell you? That is a monster. \rfloor

(Vilia) A monster. J

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(Hiro) ... Monster. J
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That small goblin was surprised at onii-sama's movements, but since there were no counterattacks, it ignored him and pounced towards me.

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「Fuu!!」
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Onii-sama rushed back between me and the goblin.

Without a moment's delay onii-sama defended me.

But, he isn't attacking.

(Yuki) Vilia, Hiro. You two have to beat him. Kill it. If you don't do it, the Goblin will take you as his toy. He would probably start by turning off your limbs, since you're so young. J

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(Vilia) \( \text{...} \text{ U, Uah } \)
(Hiro) \( \text{......} \)
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Even if you say so, my body refuses to move.

It's scary.

Onii-sama isn't attacking, if we don't attack, we'd be made into Steve's family's toys, it's painful to get your limbs struck, but to get the limbs taken away......

That's when the incident occurred, because we were wasting time.

Gond.

A dull sound echoed.

Onii-sama was kneeling.

Covering his face with his hand.

Under it, there's blood.

(Vilia) Conii-sama! ? J

(Hiro) Onii!?]

Not noticing our crying voices, the goblin hadn't stopped to fight us. He instead kept striking at onii-sama who was already kneeling in order to eliminate him.

No, don't, stop.

Don't kill onii-sama.

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Gaki!!
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I blocked the club with the sword I had at my disposal.

I was desperate.

I thought that I wouldn't let onii-sama get hurt any more.

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(Vilia) [Hiro!!]

(Hiro) [AaaaaAA—-!!]

[Gehiyo!?]

Zpan!!
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The sword that Hiro is holding reached the Goblin's neck, separating his head from his torso.

Thud.

That's what the sound was like, the head rolled and seemed to be staring at me.

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(Vilia) \( \text{Uh, oh, I.....} \)

(Hiro) \( \text{L.....} \)

Killed. Killed you... \( \text{J} \)
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We both were in a daze.

Noticing that, onii-sama stroke our heads.

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}$ It's all right. Well done. Thanks to you, I was saved. That's why, it's all right. \rfloor

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(Vilia) <sup>「</sup>O, onii-sama. 」
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(Hiro) 「...... I killed Steve's companion. 」

We managed to speak with hoarse voices.

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[[Uwwaaaaaaaan!!!]]
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After that, onii-sama embraced the two of us who were weeping, he then brought us back outside.

Let's talk with everyone in school today.

The fact that onii-sama was injured, that monsters are really scary, and that we have to be ready to fight for our lives if we see one.

And then, that kind of pain and bitterness that Onii-sama always takes for himself, I can definitely not stand it.....

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Afterword of the author

I was troubled whether to make it a main part of the story or a trap.

In the end, it became a trap.

The fact is Vilia and the others won't be actively part of the story for a while, so it's a trap.

Oh, of course, you knew that the injury was an act right? Yuki is dark isn't he?

Chapter 79 - The King's Ride

Side: Aria • Ral • Rochelle Rochelle's next Queen.

(Seraria) Welcome, please come in. Onee-sama. J

Before me stands my important Imouto 1) Younger Sister.

But honestly, I'm not pleased.

(Aria) Seriously, after all that turmoil you ran off and committed to something unthinkable.

I barely managed to resist retorting by grinding my teeth. 2) Not sure 私はそう返すのがやっとだった。

Seraria for the better or worse had chosen to live by the art of Bushido.3) Literally: The way of the sword; a samurai like set of manners

But the previous turmoil ended up with Seraria making active moves and getting married to an outsider and, albeit only to an extent, unknown man.

Father was particularly opposed, and the amount of support she received4) monetary support for Dungeon was the bare minimum, but to her all of it was totally meaningless.

After all, in Seraria's eyes, that man, the master of a Dungeon seems to be seen as abnormally prestigious and powerful.

(Seraria) Something unthinkable? I wonder why? For the sake of giving myself territory and wealth, I just went to the neighborhood and negotiated?

This girl ∼

While pressing my thumbs to my temples, I was trying to swallow what my sister said.

Yes, from a certain point of view, it looks just like she negotiated a marriage.

But the opposition parties have received a lot of dirt5) political kind because of this. Princess marries herself off to [some man]. They loved this entire event. No well, they at least pretend to be loyal to our country, but they are obviously overly friendly with other countries too.

But the opposition only leaned towards our country and could break easily if we

make a bad move. 6) Not sure: だが、裏は下手をすれば一国が傾くようなことばかりしていたのだ。

No, that's what they pretend to our country but they could lean towards any other.

Taking advantage of trivial things like this is common among nobility.

It's our responsibility, my father's and mine, to stand at the top of the country and make decisions. Not Seraria's who brought upon us this situation at her own convenience......

(Seraria)「But, how can you have the nerve, respectable father, distant anesame7) Not sure, the honorific used was "とお" in the sentence "とお姉さま", as if she held no respect for her sister, calling her "distant"., to judge me, when the two of you have left the Kingdom unattended. Leaving it wide open, after such an incident has only just passed.」

We were now on our way to visit the Dungeon that Seraria assumed as her territory.

Ostensibly worrying about my younger sister, in truth, we are heading there to ascertain the danger level of this Dungeon.

(King) That's not true. Chasing after the throne when we're so close is a bit too much.

(Aria) That's right. J

(King) Well then, I want to enjoy a slow and leisurely talk about this village of yours... But I believe the fewer the questions, the better for Seraria?

(Seraria) What do you mean? J

(King) \(\text{I} \) No, I think that these are solid buildings, firmly carving that amount of trees in a mere couple of months after coming here is amazing. However, I have heard there were 7000 migrants from Ritea currently present.

As otou-sama said 8) She shifted from using "Oyaji" earlier to "Otou-sama", a more respectful way to address her father. , there are buildings outside the surroundings of the Dungeons but it's the size of a small village. True, I wonder if there'd be enough space to house such a large number of adults, as addressed in the letter? Though he's mixing up the front gate with the mansion.

(King) And what's the meaning the son-in-law not appearing before me? J

His last words carried a little anger within.

Otou-sama was clinging to his daughter.

If Seraria herself didn't make some extravagant show this time, to showcase her new husbands power, he planned to marry the daughter of an appropriate noble to the Dungeon Master and retrieve his daughter.9) Anth: Like hell he could have done that lol, they don't know yet about the scourge called Labiris. Chill: Yikes! Stop him before Labiris declares War on Rochelle! Tensky: The girls are more likely, nope, this girl doesn't measure up to requirements, toss her to the goblins Face: You guys are scary....Especially you Tensky....Still not as scary as those girls

The royal family itself bothered to visit.

It's a matter of course that otou-sama is angry when that man didn't appear before his wife's father, that's beyond disgraceful.

(Seraria) Ha, what are you talking about. Pushing a member of nobility onto him, a girl that you would use at your own convenience to monitor and spy on him, what reason would there be to pay respect to royalty after having that done to you?

(King) 「Guh」

(Seraria) In addition, to try and pick up taxes. Are you stupid? Although father has a good image right now, you originally tried to overthrow the Dungeon Master with your ironically poor plan. I'm not sure if angering him is wise, just deal with it huh.

(King) Nunuh!? However, the collection of the tax in 5 years... J

(Seraria)「…… Are you seriously saying that? It doesn't matter how many years it is, this place was originally established as an independent state. You don't collect taxes from smaller neighboring countries do you? Despite me saying that, it is currently considered to be part of Rochelle for the time being. My husband won't show his respect for that in such a small way as by paying taxes. 10) Not sure: 税を取ろうとする姿勢だけで、夫に対して敬意を払っていないわ。 … Kuso oyaji,11) "Kuso" is an insult, could be translated as B*sh*t, Damned or F*ing, "Oyaji"is another way to call a father, it's more familiar, it also means old

man, as many of your necks as my husband asks me to rend, I will present to him that many heads in a heartbeat. J

There's a tremendous aura of something more than just fighting spirit coming from Seraria.

..... When did she get this strong?

But, no matter how hard you fought against the hardliners of Ritea, your level shouldn't rise so much that you could feel it like this.....

(King) Lo-long ago... My... You said that you would become your father's bride... J

(Seraria) [... Shine 12) Die]

(King) [Wait!?]

Otou-sama, playtime is over.

You know that if you talk about this, Seraria becomes enraged!!

SFX:Gakin!!

(Seraria) Cops.. J13) yeah, really not sure

Otou-sama's body that took Seraria's sheathed sword took flight and until it found a wall.

SFX:Wham!!

Wh-wh-with using just her arm strength she blew father away!?

Otou-sama also have a high level of 92.

And his sword's level is also at the humans peak, 5.

And yet he was blown away by a strange sword that was still in its sheath!?

(Seraria) ... Please do not try to play dead like a child. My husband is currently busy evaluating Dungeons. Therefore, I am the one who has come outside to pick you.]

Seraria looked down with a bored expression at the rising dust.

(King) Oh, oh, it seems that you have raised the strength of your arms yet again. However, about this much. Wait, you came outside to pick us up? Isn't this village the Dungeon's city?

Otou-sama walked over as if nothing had happened.

(Seraria) \(\times \)... Huh, well, please come along. This place is inappropriate for a proper talk. You happened to come at the time when my husband will shortly be at the meeting room, so let's go there after a quick tour of the Dungeon.

Seraria said so and headed for the center of the village.

We walked until reaching the entrance of the Dungeon.

(Seraria) Kur, good day. Be especially firm with the security today. J

(Kur) [Ha!! I don't think anyone will be able to pass this entrance and remain safe.14) You shall not PASS!!]

(Seraria) You said something stupid. I will reduce the pay of anyone who bothers the hand of my husband.

[[[We will initiate full security checks and patrols!!]]

The unit in direct control of Seraria returned a salute after hearing her words. As usual, they are well trained, if a little obnoxious.

..... From within the depths of my heart, I felt like they have become significantly stronger in just 2 months......

And when we entered the Dungeon, our common sense collapsed.

All the ministers who had words of complaint regarding our matters this time were simply dumbfounded as they stared at the inside of the Dungeon.

(Seraria) This time I'll do the explanation of the city myself. Though I think my husband would do so as he is soon to return, but he's busy at the moment, so please make do with me this time.

Seraria was speaking to us, but we were all unable to respond to the sight which was spread out in front of us.

Then, as we were led around by Seraria, I looked around the city within the Dungeon.

How? I couldn't explain it at all. A perfectly divided and organised town in a way that makes sense, simple and efficient. There are also lots of unbelievably luxurious goods and facilities, like an amusement facility that could be called a national treasury and all of it was made to be of use to the common people.

And also, a classification using floors. A place where knowledge15) library

anyone?, which normally would only be obtainable by aristocracy, was available at everyone's fingertips. A school where they have secured the human resources to educate the children.

Everything is different from the Kingdom.

..... To be honest, I was lost.

The way people are managed, the technology of this place, and the advantages it brings.

There is no waste at all.

Then, how was it? There are still many places that can't be explained in detail in a day, but one week should be good so please enjoy tomorrow carefully.

Seraria took us to the conference room called 「Sougou chou sha16) I have no idea what it is supposed to mean そうごうちょうしゃ Jwhere we took seat and she served tea.

(Seraria) But, for the sake of enjoying tomorrow, shall we first ask for what purpose you came? If you don't finish your work, there's nothing to enjoy.

(King) O,oh, that's right. However, for Seraria's groom to not come......]

When father said that, the door of the conference room opened and the man who I saw only once on the call screen entered slowly.

(Seraria) Right. Dear. How did the rating of the Dungeon go? J

(Yuki) It's only the third day, there's still some time before we begin. And if it's done poorly, the period for the rating may as well be extended.

(Seraria) It can't be helped. There are at least 6 medium Dungeons. J

... I didn't expect to see a scene where Seraria would happily talk to a man. Both otou-sama and the other ministers are aware of Seraria's temper, so seeing this with my own eyes, I was completely surprised.

(Yuki) [Well, I am sorry I wasn't able to welcome you this time. But In order to fulfill the duties of a marquis which I received from the King, I have worked very hard so far to support the lives of the people. At any rate, I don't have any more funds at hand.]

That man talked with sarcasm without hesitation.

It was us that said we wouldn't give money when entrusting you with that discretion, so to tell us that was an unskilful complaint.....

(Minister) Marquis Yuki-dono, how impetuous are you despite being the groom of Seraria?

One of the minister started to attack the Dungeon Master... Yuki-san.

(Yuki) Yeah, so let me apologize here this way. I am lacking in capacity, but I want you to show me a sample. If someone brings 300 slaves with 300 white gold coins, if he can do more than what I've done here in two months, please introduce him to me right away. Let me take him as a reference by all mean. Or maybe minister-dono, may you be able to show it to me?

(Minister) [..... N-no, that thing.]

The denounced minister made a face crushed with bitterness.

Yes, nobody owes him.

Rather, all the members in this place had been borrowing from him.

A loan the size of the country.....

(King) It is nice to meet you. I have also heard the circumstances of this place from Seraria. The Grand Master of Ritea's Adventurer Guild headquarters has come to this place to assess this Dungeon, it's a justified measure. So instead, should I have your seat removed minister?

When Otou-sama said so, the minister's face who had complained became completely blue.

Yes, the Adventurer Guild has a headquarter in Ritea, but its size spreads throughout the whole continent.

No, rumor says that the adventurer guild spreads even beyond the continent, to a land haunted by wicked men.

Their strength is said to have no enemy among the countries.

Either regarding human talents or wealth.....

The chief of that Guild is coming, you can't make light of it, otherwise it would be the same as picking a fight with the Adventurer Guild.

(Yuki) That point is right. Today is the third day of the assessment. It has just begun. The Grand Master is interested in this life, he rised early to work and

enjoyed doing various things. J

(Seraria) Well, that being the case. Let's move on to the main suggestion, what is your explanation for this ride17) Same word as in the title, could also mean passenger or something along the line. ?

(Yuki) Haa? In the meantime, goods sent individually from Ritea and Seraria were used effectively in the reconciliation with Galtz. Is that a problem?

(King) Ab-about that it's good!! The problem is why have you held war against Ritea and then retreated!!]

Abruptly came up a big sore spot.

Well, this time we came to ask about the responsibilities that lies in the battlefield against the hardliners of Ritea, but the battle was a victory under the commander Seraria's leadership.

As a result, the hardliners lost their position and retired superbly, saying they had angered Seraria, an opponent with overwhelming strength. Their private properties were confiscated as a mean of apology towards Seraria. Rochelle then used that in compensation towards Galtz.

The total value of the hardliners personal property amounted approximately to 30 000 white gold coins.

It's about a fifth of the annual national budget for one year.

The dispute this time with Galtz was due to a strategy from the Demon King. But the damage which each other suffered were as such.

However, neither of the countries wanted to give compensation, it fell into a vicious circle.

Seraria gave me money and I was able to use it freely to that end.

After Galtz had received compensation, they also sent their own compensation and used their legal tools to solve the tension.

(Seraria) Indeed, Otou-sama, onee-sama18) Dunno if it's because of Yuki's presence, but here Seraria began to talk respectfully to her father/sister., the ministers, you would like us to kill Lulu and for the hardliners to keep their regime so that the three countries could remain in a situation of war?

(Seraria) Well then, shall we get back the reparation that I gave to Galtz first?

That's why I have handed the money over to the country, but indeed to have expected war.....People would then be sent to Ritea with Lulu's head and Rochelle would then immediately entered in a state of war.]

The ministers who intend to squeeze attention and compensation from this Dungeon were pale, as they originally were the one putting the country in danger.

The ministers and us to a certain extend, wanted to use the lack of the feudal lord's self-awareness.....19) Aria is probably referring here to Seraria as the feudal lord of this Dungeon, since she should be muscle-headed.

It seems that it was instead us that lacked awareness.

With Seraria's attitude, the three countries could have entered war at any moment. But that girl instead chose to take such actions.

(King) You don't have any objections? Then, let's execute Lulu in this town at once first into to enter a state of war. J

(Aria) There's something that make me wonders, I know that you sheltered Lulu-sama here and that you sent her to Ritea. However, in Seraria's story, it was like Lulu-sama was still inside the Dungeon?

(Seraria) She is now. As an apology, and for our reconciliation with Ritea, Lulu has also married my husband. If I send Lulu that serves at the proof of the reconciliation back, the current Holy Woman Alshtail-sama will instantly bring trouble. I

It's bad, beyond problematic.

No way, how did Lulu-sama marry Yuki-san as well.

If you want to condemn the face of this Dungeon, it can be publicized as a mistake that helped Ritea.

But to say that Lulu-sama is married, the importance of this Dungeon for Ritea must be considerable, and now it wasn't possible to play a wrong card.....

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(King) \( \text{Did you understand? So now, let's proceed to take Lulu's head...} \)

(Aria) \( \text{Wait, just wait!! Seraria!! } \)

(Seraria) \( \text{What, onee-sama?} \)

(Aria) \( \text{Your responsibility doesn't matter!! So stop the Lulu-sama's} \)
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execution!! Our country doesn't want war!! All right, otou-sama!!]

I would use that momentum and ask father for consent.

(King) [Well, I don't care this time. However, for acting independently there's a punishment and won't be any reward. Is everyone okay with this?]

The ministers shake their face up and down on the spot.

(Seraria) What, and now you don't want to give us a reward?

Seraria looked disgusted.

(King) 「...Ahem. Then, we will proceed to the inspection tomorrow. However, Seraria... There's still another case with my son-in-law.」

(Yuki) With me? Not with Seraria? J

(King) Umu. I was worried about how Ritea would react this time, but there is nothing wrong with Lulu's marriage already.

(Seraria) What do you mean? J

(Yuki) Do you understand that this time, you got a large amount from Seraria and that you have reconciled with Galtz?

(?) Yes that's true. J

(King) However, this concerns the face of the country Galtz. No matter the scheme from the Demon King, it's Rochelle that opened hostilities first and went to war with them. In the end, we just dropped our head and paid a lot of money.]

(Seraria) Oh, and you think Galtz would be rude to the other countries and not respond with a gift?

(King) [Well, I was entrusted with the princess from the country Galtz.]

(Yuki) [...... have an incredibly bad feeling.]

(King) The seventh Princess, she has been sent to our country as the return gift. In return for the gratitude of us foreign countries......]

(Seraria) [Is your real intention to get rid of a nuisance?]

(King) 「......It is some difficult topic to speak of. It would be untactful to have

one of the ministers take her as his bride. J

(Seraria) The seventh Princess... It is troublesome to deal with knowing the circumstances of Rochelle, and if not deal well it would break the trust with Galtz?

(King) Let's see, for other side it's a loss that doesn't itch. After all, the seventh princess already has no position anymore within her home country Galtz. I

(Seraria) Yeah, she is the seventh. Her brothers and sisters will succeed her position. It is a seriously troublesome payment.

(King) Then, son-in-law!! For not understanding the detailed circumstances of Rochelle, following with Seraria for welcoming Ritea's biggest heavyweight Luludono. Son-in-law will have to take care of the Princess, let's convince Galtz!!

(Seraria) \(\text{......}\) No way, are you bringing someone else in? \(\text{(King)} \(\text{Yes!!} \) \(\text{Yes!!} \)

When Otou-sama answered, Seraria stepped towards him in a tremendous manner.

(Seraria) Kuso oyaji!! Shineeeeeeeeeeeeee!20) Shine means die! J

I understand Seraria's feeling, but I would be troubled if they don't accept it. Would it be up to Yuki?

Ah, could it be taken as a little revenge?

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Afterword of the author

Yet another bride.

Well, more details and whether she will be under house arrest is another matter.

In a sense they were able to tie with Galtz. Lol.

(Face: Sorry everyone complain to Antheor in the comments to let him know how much you hate missed him)

Chapter 80 - Wives's Meeting.

Side: Seraria

(Seraria) [..... That's the story. So, what do you girls think?]

I talked about the meeting I had with that kuso oyaji earlier and about the Princess that was forced upon us.

I was now asking about everyone's opinion on the matter.

(Riel) That's a hunt!! A huuunnttt!! For a girl like that, it's absolutely a hunnntttt!! J1) I'm not too sure about this, why would she say hunter every time? ;_; Chill: Well maybe she's hunting men ...

Riel said that loudly but on the contrary.

(Ellis) But, if we refuse the Princess here, then there's still another matter we'd have to deal with right?

Ellis asked.

She's right.

If we refuse the princess here, it's simply moving the problem further into the future. And that kind of problem grows over time.

(Seraria) You're right. After all, we have no easy way of rejecting the Princess.

(Lutz) [Well then again, she's pitiful. I wonder what we should do?]

Lutz also made a difficult face.

(Lulu) However, the Kings circumstances are understandable. If things are managed poorly and the truth about Herge is revealed, even if Galtz was forgiving, they wouldn't be able to suppress an uprising aimed at Herge-sama and Rochelle. Realistically, it's doubtful they would even try as well.

Lulu added as well.

That's right. Kuso oyaji was at least thinking about some things.

He can't afford to carry such a bomb. Should he let it fall, then it would break the alliance and very well may devolve into war again. Therefore, they needed a place which fulfilled two conditions, A, It imprisons her in such a way that she either loses contact to her home country, or she loses the ability to spy and B doesn't cause a national level incident. Conveniently they have such a neighbor and the solution they he came up with was to marry her off to Yuki, effectively imprisoning her in the Dungeon, or so he must be thinking.

(Riel) But there's something I don't quite understand, why would there still be a problem if she doesn't marry Yuki-san?

Riel tilted her head.

Oh, indeed I have to explain the events surrounding Ritea in detail.

(Seraria) That...]

(Ellis) Seraria, can I talk about it? If there's a mistake please correct it. J

Ellis said that and stood up.

Well, I guess I also want to know how much Ellis understands.

Also, everyone has started calling me without "sama" at the Inn.

(Seraria) \(\text{Would you please take over then?} \)

(Ellis) 「Yes, please excuse me.」

Ellis walked to the position of the white board.

Presently, our main gathering point of the Inn is the banquet hall.

Yuki is currently bathing Aslin and the others, so he isn't here.

(Ellis) Γ As Riel said, there are things that are difficult to understand, so I will try to summarize as concisely as possible. Everyone please ask me if you don't understand something. \rfloor

Ellis said and everyone nodded.

(Ellis) \(\Gamma \) So, this topic doesn't only concern Yuki-san's potential marriage with a royalty. It also concerns the return gift from the country Galtz to Rochelle.

Yes, this marriage and the previous hostage repayment2) refering to the event where Lulu was left in Yuki's care for Ritea's damage are the same.

(Millie) I know that, but why a princess in the first place? It seems like there would be plenty of other options of people they could send.

Millie asked back.

(Ellis) The fact that she's the Princess is essential. What's important about a return gift, is whether or not it corresponds to the amount of compensation the other party sent first. However, it would be rude to deliver a large number of daughters from the aristocracy, since people are not currency and also because it would also look like sending a lot of spies. J

That's the problem, the other side can't afford to pay reparation with normal means, since they lack the funds.

However, it is also regrettable to deliver talented people, so it would need to be a woman, but then the daughter of some noble wouldn't have matched the amount of compensation Rochelle sent.

Therefore, it had to be a daughter to the royal family. But such a gift can't be treated in a crude way.

(Riel) Indeed, it would be better than placing a large number of spies. Humm, so if it's a Princess, she has enough monetary value to equal or exceed Rochelle's compensation?

Riel didn't seem to understand well too.

(Ellis) About that, because it's a story concerning the nobility, you should ask Seraria about it.

Ellis waved at me.

Well, I don't understand all of that country's rules either.

(Seraria) It makes sense to hand over someone of the royal family. If it's an ordinary noble, the meaning conveyed with the apology would be too thin. Well, maybe if you imagine an apology coming from this Dungeon, if we were to send me or Riel, which apology would look more sincere to you?

(Riel) [If it is better for this feudal lord Seraria or I to apologize... ah I got it. It is meaningful for the people in power to stand behind an apology.]

(Seraria) That's it. Ellis please carry on. J

(Ellis) Yes. Then the outward appearance of why they choose to send a royalty is now understood.

(Millie) \(\text{Outward appearance?} \)

Millie who heard Ellis asked in return.

(Ellis) Yes, it's probably only a facade. The Princess most likely came to explore the inner workings of Rochelle and it's circumstances.

(Millie) \(\Gamma\) can imagine that but, can she really just fumble around? Won't she be monitored? \(\Gamma\)

(Ellis) Well that's true, but the thing is she's a princess. It can be said that if you restrain her freedom too much, then the treatment towards the Princess would be reciprocated by Galtz in an outrageous way. Additionally because of having a princess in Rochelle, Galtz could publicly visit Rochelle frequently and at little cost.

(Millie) TOh, I see. So it's like that. She won't become a bride for Yuki-san's sake, but for Rochelle, effectively replacing a spy into the Dungeon in order to know about the inner workings and circumstances of this place. And Yuki-san after Lulu and Seraria would also be the husband of one representative from each country. That way, it would also be impossible for the Princess to complain about a lacking partner right?

Millie was right on the money. Just like that kuso oyaji said, for Rochelle it's best to put the Princess in here...

(Ellis) Perhaps, Seraria. Do you think the King of Rochelle didn't visit to start a war with Ritea, but instead to talk about the matter with the Princess?

(Seraria) The real purpose of his visit is as you assumed. The potential battle with Ritea was merely a bonus. For anyone who doesn't understand the circumstances behind Ritea and Rochelle, they tried to squeeze us for a fight with the hardliners who had retired and thereby reset the alliance. But with a few simple words with that kuso oyaji it was suppressed. But, whilst showing his displeasure, he asked for......

(Lutz) Oh, the King of Rochelle choose to scold his retainer at that time, telling a story to onii-san and the others then said that their own judgement was wrong. All to create an atmosphere where it would be harder to refuse the princess.

Lutz nodded, she hit the nail right on the head.

(Seraria) Well, his vassal was also incompetent, to get shut-down so fast. If you didn't know the circumstances behind this time, it's natural to think of it as an arbitrary complaint, the one who started the fight without knowing anything, just got the tables turned on him. 3) TLDR; a battle of knowledgeWhile they knew, if we could not keep pace in the talk, the only outcome would have been a war with Ritea. J

(Tori) The King is serious about this then, right?

Tori who nodded also displayed her admiration.

(Seraria) So, in short, I'm not pleased to allocate my husband's time to a scheming woman and a scheming King.

(Lutz) You want to be the first one? 14) to be bedded

(Seraria) Of course. Lutz, I mean everyone here is probably the same? 5) Challenge!

All of them nodded.

(Lulu) I would like master to embrace me soon.6) Challenge accepted!! J

(Lutz)\(\Gamma \) so right, in that case wouldn't Onii-san reach out his hand to touch us?\(\Gamma \)

(Seraria) You're right. In that case, pray that you become pregnant before the married Princess. J

(Delille) It was disclosed that Yuki recognizeth mine person and figure. J

Saying only a few words, Delille looked at everyone in the room with flames burning in her eyes.

(Riel) But, if this Princess meddles with Yuki-san, wouldn't we have no more reason to not meddle with him? If a wife comes, he will have to make children wouldn't he?

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Everyone followed onto the loophole explained by Riel.

(Seraria) Please wait a minute. This is]

(Lulu) Heh, it's a big chance to conceive a child with master. J

(Lutz) Seraria, in the event that Yuki-san doesn't turn his hand to the Princess, then the whole thing would be a smaller problem than initially expected.....]

(Seraria) Don't say that, that's why you have a maid to check and make sure that everything is done properly. It's the same as refusing to give thanks for not doing any work.7) Anth: Is that so??? Chill: I guess it's a female's analogy?? J

(Lutz) In other words, if Onii-san makes the Princess pregnant, it's not a bad card we can use as well? And if he doesn't then everything is fine anyway?

(Seraria) That's right. J

(Riel) [Etto, in other words, if we welcome the Princess pleasantly, the situation of the Princess might improve and as the result we might be able to do ecchi things to Yuki-san!?]

(Lutz) I know nothing about improving the Princess's situation, but wonderful days awaits with onii-san if we decide to welcome the Princess. If he turns his hand towards the princess, he wouldn't be able to say anything if we turn our hands towards him, Onii-san will love us properly. However, what if it's an outdoor play?8) Face: wow....Lutz what the heck should we call you (s)Lutz? my goodness J

(Seraria) Th-that's different!!]

I was only thinking about the disadvantages, but this was an unexpected blind spot.

For me, no, for us, it is a good opportunity to be loved by Yuki.

(Ellis) PI-please calm down for a while. We might be able to see advantages for this, but how do we convince Yuki-san?

(Seraria) The problem is that we have to tell Yuki about where the advantages of dragging the Princess into the Dungeon lie, whilst avoiding the demerits.....]

Ellis put us into a stop as everyone was now trying to think about what to say next.

Side: Yuki

I was now suffering a lot.

The problem was that we would welcome the Princess as my bride at today's meeting.

If I go back to contemporary Japan, I'd assume to be a bagman without motivation.

The current situation is an harem.

But to add another Princess to it seemed to oppose Seraria and Labiris.

In addition, the condition is a wedding.

Moreover, because it's a negotiation on a country scale, unlike Seraria which I could simply like, it would be very bad if i didn't lay my hand on her.

Although I did not offer myself to Seraria and the others, if I happened to give my hand to the Princess first, I'd likely be stabbed. 9) Anth:You're not as thick as I thought, Chill: Wait so you only have a brain for things if it enters "Problem" domain?, Face: Actually you would be stabbing....with your...."that".

I've been avoiding reaching out to the girls with my hand, but isn't this the limit?

Sending a review to Luna10) Luna is the Goddess he met in the beginning Chill: How can she be of any use? Wouldn't she just laugh at him? per mail, I'm waiting for a reply. After I talked with Seraria and the others, it had been decided that we would put it on hold.

I didn't stretch this mail too much, because if that useless god happened to stumble upon too much, she might just appear in front of Seraria and the others which is scary.

That useless goddess was truly disagreeable, I've hardly communicated with Luna since at all.

How can I explain it to a useless goddess... A god.

No no, first I must explain to Seraria and the others the benefits of welcoming the Princess into our Dungeon as a bride.

I can also make the Princess into my toy, hiya oups! 11) Not sure 俺も王女様を 玩具にできるぜーひゃっほい! Chill: so you do get it!!

What, I sounded just like a brute.

Rather, let's now talk about the matter with the Princess, that the King of

Rochelle purposely brought to me. Make good use of it, yes it would become easy to contact Galtz if we have the Princess. Now that I finally knew about the circumstances between Ritea and Rochelle, the three countries are charging into a state of war and I had no means of communicating with Galtz at all.

But, realistically since Galtz didn't know the truth behind all of this, they ended up having to investigate Rochelle, you have my thanks for noticing your lack of intel.

They don't have any eyes.

That's why they sent the Princess.

The Princess must check for her country, but in the end, they didn't know if they would know the truth or not.

Because this times troubles were stirred up from within Ritea and Rochelle, it's natural that Galtz would have a limited scope of knowledge relative to the whole case.

The seventh Princess of Galtz was now truly a walking bomb that tried to investigate and search.

She would be an obstacle for any country. However, it's impossible to drive her out. It feels like they might think she's a necessary sacrifice.

So it was through my Dungeon that this arrow of white feathers went through. 12) white feather: a white-coloured feather used as a symbol or mark of perceived cowardice. During the First World War young men seen not wearing uniform were sometimes presented with such a feather, as part of a campaign to induce men to enlist for military service." on his first trip out in civilian clothes, he'd been handed two white feathers"

I don't want to hide the inner circumstances of the Dungeon, I would rather have them advertised.

If Galtz joins the fray, more people will come.

A place that is convenient for the three countries outcasts and at the same time a place where they can entrust the Princess.

But, using those reasons... Would my wives be convinced.....

So, no matter how rational I am, this isn't convincing enough.

Especially this time.

A case like welcoming a Princess, in which I would need to take my hands out

hasn't come until now, but from the standpoints of my wives, they may see it as the Princess cheating her way ahead... That was some excessive thoughts but this time I might be done for.

Therefore, before I welcome the Princess, we have to love each other..... But when we love each other, there would be little space bring in another person.

Ah, it's over.

I'll lower my head manly like and welcome the Princess as a bride, please allow it!! You know!!

..... Manly, right?

I decided to commit and entered the door of the Banquet Hall. I instantly completed a perfect dogeza.13) Dogeza is a way of sitting as an apology, here's a picture :

The series of actions had been done without any hesitation, the scoring must be a perfect 10.00.

(Yuki) [Everyone, I'm sorry!! I will accept the Princess. I understand that everyone is dissatisfied, but from today..... I will turn my hands to everyone, so please allow it!!]

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\lceil \lceil \lceil \lceil \rceil \rceil \rceil \rceil \rceil (Yuki) \lceil \lceil \rceil \rceil Huh? \rceil
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I was prepared for them to need more of an explanation, but I was surprised at the reply that I received in return, I must be making a stupid face.

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Afterword of the author

It disappeared at once.

Deprived of all powers.

However, here it goes.

Well, I left it there the wives's meeting, don't hate it lol.

Next time, the reason why Yuki didn't handle the useless god until now will appear.

Are you still coming? Of course you will, lol.

Chapter 81 - The Useless God Descends Once Again

We decided to change some names after a lengthy discussion.

Roshuru ==> Rochelle.

Gai ==> Galtz

Lily ==> Lilith

Names will be changed within the previous chapters soon.

side: Lutz

It seems that Onii-san is finally ready for it.

Today I'll wash my body thoroughly, no we will bath together and afterwards without delay, we will reach out to the futon....

Oops, my head is being dyed the color of desire.

Not good, not good, there should be something else to think right now, something important.

My head is full of intimate rendezvous with Onii-san, but somehow I have to advance my thoughts.

Everyone around me seems to be saying something, but I'm thinking about developing my relationship with Onii-san, my cheeks became loose.

Let's play it safe.

Lutz, this affection is not the only thing you wish for.

If it's about Onii-san, because I decided to be useful for him, my body can easily be driven into lust and passion.....

(Lutz) Oh about that, Onii-san. I understand Onii-san's intention, but why the sudden turn around this late?

Well, why this timing?

Because he has to embrace the Princess?

No. If that's the case, then you could put that off until you properly love us first. Considering Onii-san's experience, we held back and lost the initiative, so I believe there's something else behind all this.

Of course, the reason we're holding back, is in order to understand and embrace Onii-san's affection.

It's certain that Onii-san has become increasingly impatient towards embracing us.

Then why, what convinced him to endure until now? What changed?

(Yuki) That's true. It is a bit late. Listen to me for a bit, because it's hard to say. It's fine even if you dislike me because of this.]

At Onii-san's serious words, everyone looked up at him.

Let's be honest.

Onii-san, it is probably impossible to dislike you.

Everyone firmly displayed it on their faces.

(Yuki) Cokay, I'm from an unprecedented race. I am a Dungeon Master. So there might be a possibility that I can't have children, Maternity... There's no safety that anyone of you can give birth, or even if it's safe..... J

(Everyone) [[Huh!?]]

Everyone's face became frozen stiff.

I forgot that Onii-san is a Dungeon Master, he just has the same appearance as a human.

If it goes bad Onii-san's children might become monsters, or existences closer to the original Dungeon Masters.

There are demons who like to use women, have them give birth and kill them afterwards.

In case of certain monsters, there's even some of them who guarantee death to the mother's body the moment it becomes pregnant.

Ah... Onii-san the truth is, you really love us.

He didn't get defeated by his lust and thought of our safety first.

However, doesn't this answer mean.....

(Lulu) No, that's not possible!! I'll give birth to danna-sama's 1) husband child!!

Lulu-sama closed her ears and desperately denied his story, she frantically denied.

(Lutz) [I-it's a I-lie!!2) Uso! This is too terrible!! Ahhhh!! ?]

I spilled tears from my eyes, my head shook, showing my unwillingness to part with my children.

Compared to the heavily disturbed Lulu-sama, we were still calm, in a way.

(Yuki) Relax Lulu. It's all right. Like I said it's alright. J

(Lulu) Uehh, Hiku, I hate this. Hate it, why is God so cruel!! ?]

Onii-san hugged Lulu-sama to calm her down, but I was shocked to see her continue to go rampant within Onii-san's arms.

(Seraria) Ah...... Aaah, it's fine dear... What's wrong? To make a child... Is just a way to show love to another.

Lulu-sama had yet to settle from this but Seraria began to take back a bit of composure after hearing Onii-san's speech and began to, albeit whilst tearing up, help calm Lulu-sama.

That's right. Onii-san didn't explain like this only to be cruel.

It became like this because we had expectations of how to make children beforehand.

..... As one would expect, we're being too impatient.

I probably won't be able to calm down without Lulu-sama settling down first.

(Yuki) That is...... I have approximately 70 to 80% confidence. So it's okay. Lulu, we can make children. So please stop crying, calm down.]

(Lulu) Hihku, egu, th-the th-truth? Can I truly make children with danna-sama?

The light of reason finally started surfacing inside Lulu-sama's eyes.

However, how can Onii-san be so sure we will be able to make children?

No way, it hadn't been tested until now, so someone would have to experiment it.

(Delille) Doth not fear everyone!! Mine body shall be the first to get pregnant!! If by any chance, this mother's body should be damaged, or a hole should sprout from inside mine belly3) Alien: 3, Mine person will manage. Let us proceed with copulating, Yuki?

Indeed, would Delille put her Demon King's robust body to use?

If it doesn't go well with Delille, it would be painful, but she has the highest

chance of staying safe.

(Yuki) No no, it's different. It's easier than that, I don't want to resort to that at all, there's a much safer way.]

[[[That is?]]]

Every girl wanted to hear Onii-san's answer at once.

(Yuki) I know that you are watching, get down here already you useless Goddess!!! I

After hearing his words, a strange voice echoed around us.

(Luna) [Haaahahahahah!! As usual, or maybe should I say as unusual, it's serious!! Are you going through with it here Yuki? That's the first time I received a question from Yuki for a very Yuki-like problem.]

Wait a minute.

Didn't Onii-san say Goddess?

When I thought the words through again, I was crying at Onii-san's words, trying to decipher where the voice came from, right when a breathtaking beauty appeared in the banquet hall.

She was making a strange pose.

More specifically, she had one hand on her waist while the other one was up in the air, her index toward the sky.

(Luna) God advent!!]

(Yuki) Get lost4) or disappear!! J

To the woman who suddenly appeared, Onii-san without asking any question, sent her into the pitfall near the doorstep.

Yeah, somehow I feel like it's fine.

(Luna) Wait, WAIT!! Is there something wronnggg withh youuuuuuuuuu!?

SFX:Gogyan

We heard such a sound.

But a hand instantly came out of the pit, and the woman crawled out of it.

Are, didn't she just hit the bottom!?

(Luna) Seriously, I haven't contacted you in so long and now after a long awaited reunion, what I'm receiving is this!?

(Yuki) Noisy5) Urusai. This is the most critical part for my future family planning. Then, your answer?

(Luna) There is no problem. I had said it from the beginning that you would adjust. At any rate it's a different worl...]

(Yuki) The situation hasn't been revealed to that extent. J

(Luna) \(\text{Ara, you made it this far but haven't talked about anything yet? \) \(\text{Luna} \)

(Yuki) If I was to talk about it now, it would bring unnecessary mayhem. For the time being, I just asked you a simple question, not to call for a meeting. Please, don't say any more than necessary.

E-eto, I don't know who is this girl, but I know she is way outside the norm.

I'm seeing Onii-san disliking a talk for the first time.

Perhaps this woman is troublesome, maybe even bad.

While I was thinking that way, she turned around.....

(Luna) Oh really? Well, in such a short time you've turned this place into an harem, that's not good. Hey, you hentai!!]

(Yuki) You're so noisy!! Answer me clearly. Is there a problem or is there not!?

(Luna) Fehh, Yuki wants to make children with the women here and now he is asking me for my seal of approval as warranty. Children will be born normally when there's sex!! J

(Yuki) Heyy!! Choose your words a bit more!?

After that, silence dominated this place.

(Seraria) [E-eto. I don't know who you are. But I'm glad after hearing those words from you. But dear, this means of warranty is......]

Seraria spoke those words as fast as she could.

She's exactly right. I couldn't help but worry knowing this person was the one

giving the warrant.

(Lutz) Excuse me. Onii-san, can you tell us who is this person is for the time being?

(Yuki) Ah, that's hard to say, but.....]

(Luna) Luna!! Goddess!! Moreover, your senior6) Chill: waifu!!!! J

..... Oh, of course.

Should I take her to the hospital? Can she even be helped?

Anyway, after finally getting back on our feet, Onii-san looks like he just facepalmed.

(Luna) Nee nee7) Nee is a sort of kawaii hey, why is the reaction so weak? J

(Yuki) No, but suddenly someone before our eyes proclaimed themselves Goddess!! Someone who believes in such a line would be even more outrageous.

Sorry, but Onii-san's right.

(Luna) But, Yuki that's no good right? You know about it and aren't they your wives? So you diligently persuade them. J

(Yuki) It's impossible. Even if I could prove you to be a useless goddess, I would absolutely not introduce you as a goddess. J

(Luna)「Shameless as usual. In this situation you can't even understand the worth of me coming to my world..... 」8) Not sure: こっちの世界で揉まれて少しは私のありがたみがわかったと Chill: Tsudere: Tsun tsuuuuun!! pretty sure it says that

(Lutz) Wait a minute, did you summon the reigning Goddess of this world?

(Luna)「Yup, it's as easy as that. Ah, I see. If I use one of my tricks, those children will trust that I am a God, won't they?9) Not sure: そいつらに一発芸とか私がさせればこの子達も私が神だと信用するわよね?Chill: I'm amending a minor point of causality 」

(Yuki) \(\subseteq \text{Stop it now.10} \) Chill: your not going to start a war or anything are you? Useless God. If you do that, you will lose absolutely all credibility in the future. \(\subseteq \text{...} \)

It is quite something to make a Goddess resort to trickery, but hearing that from her frightened me.....

(Luna) Then, I guess I should call a known God, who do I call? There's so many in this world11) Chill: Wheels within wheels, my boy . J

(Yuki) There should be Lilith from my wife's country huh? I heard that she is the god they worship in her country and that she appears every so often, also my wife has been acknowledged as her Saint, in said country.

(Luna) Ah, then let's call for Lilith as a test. That's a good thing, if it's a goddess you're already acquainted with, when she appears, then you won't be able to call her a fake, right?

(Yuki) You don't understand huh. So be it, let's hope Lilith really is a god then.

(Luna) Of course. And even so there's measures to see if it's a fake. Well, let's call her.

My ears felt something strange.

It's somehow like hearing the carefree summoning of a God......

For Herge-sama who had received Lilith's protection and Lulu-sama's who bears the same story, both of their face where puffed. I can't tell if they are angry.

Thinking about it, that would certainly be the kind of joke you shouldn't make.

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(Luna) Now, come forth Lilith12) Chill: I choose you!!! J
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When Luna put out her hands, a light fell on the stage and became the shape of a person.

The form also resembles a woman.

Is it Lilith's shape?

I had never seen the real thing, so I couldn't make a judgment, but considering the behavior from that self-proclaimed goddess, it should be fake.

Thinking about this, I took a glance at Herge-sama and Lulu-sama. They now looked like statues after seeing the new guest.....

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(Lulu) \( Ah, Ah, Ah...... \)
(Herge) \( \Gamma \) U-so ...... 13) Uso means Lie \( \Gamma \)
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Both of them were dumbfounded to the point that their mouths became agape.

(Lilith) \(\text{What is it Luna-sama.} \) I am kinda busy, though? \(\text{J} \)

(Luna) What are you talking about. There's Yuki-like sort of achievements going on here and yet you act like that. But I'm aware you know? That you've been peeking at Yuki lately?

(Lilith) Uuh then it was exposed, I understand. Then I have no choice. I was wondering what Lulu-sama had in mind when she traveled over to someone. J

(Luna) Well that might be. But for the meantime, let's make something funny. We will raise the atmosphere in this place.

(Lilith) Fehh, but I'm not able to do anything in this form you know? J

(Luna)「Of course not! Now get over here with your body aswell!!14) Not sure 私とはいかないまでもそれなりの体つきなんだから脱げばよし!!」

(Lilith) Nooo it's too powerful!! J

Finally digesting what was happening, Herge-sama and Lulu-sama were coming back to life.

No, they suddenly began moving at the fastest speed.

(Lulu & Herge) [[What are you doing to Lilith!!]]

..... Apparently, this Lilith-sama is the real thing.

In other words, that self-proclaimed Goddess should be real too.

I understand the reason why Onii-san wanted to postpone her so much.

Especially in this case, considering Lilith-sama is from a foreign country, I have no doubts that Ritea would start a war. 15) I'm lost at this sentence こんなの事、他国やましてやリリーシュ様を祭っているリテアでやれば戦争間違いなしです。Chill:

Probably: You dragged our goddess around like a dog (god spelled backwards :3), now DIE!!

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Afterword of the author

No matter how you look at this, she is an useless Goddess!!!

But, there was no way to prove that she was actually a Goddess.

That's the reason why Yuki hesitated the most. In a little while, the stability of each country.

Chapter 82 - God's Messenger.

Side: Shera • Kuo • The seventh princess of Galtz.

(Kirue) Princess, are you sure? No matter how you look at this, you being handed over as a hostage is just the same as you being treated as a plaything.

This is my maid Kirue, she was asking out of consideration for me.

(Shera) Γ It's neither good nor it is bad. Our country can't keep face unless it returns the gift accordingly. \rfloor

Yes, this is something necessary to keep the country's prestige.

Basically, even though some demon originally took advantage of things inside of Rochelle1) Roshuru changed to Rochelle for TL accuracy, they still lowered their heads first and apologized. With a large sum.

If we were to refuse it, we would be seen as incompetent by the foreign countries. And also not returning the gift would attach an image of being weak and ungrateful for our opponents.

A major country without power or initiative.

However, since the compensation they paid was monetary, we can't simply give them the same money back, that would be like refusing it in the first place.

Therefore, we needed to prepare something which corresponds to their money, as a return gift for Rochelle.

The gift couldn't be armor or weaponry either, since we are in a time of the Demon King being very active.

So, we had to send someone or something and at the same time we can't afford to lose any of our talented people.

So in the end, we need to send someone useless and yet acceptable as an apology.

That is me, the seventh princess, someone useless and yet of royalty. I'm sent just as a decoration.

I don't mind being sent away, because that is who I am. I acknowledged it as the best solution to the dilemma.

As a side-bonus, nii-sama2) As a reminder, nii-sama means older brother asked

me to find from where they got such a sum for our reparation this time.

And if by any chance I happened to die, they would use this reason as a pretext to investigate.

The second Princess, onee-sama 3) You got it, right? Onee-sama means older sister opposed sending me and offered to marry herself off, but she was rejected. It had already been decided that I would be the one going to Rochelle. The second Princess, onee-sama, is also what you could call the mascot of the army.

The military may be managed by the third Prince, nii-sama, but onee-sama holds a strong sense of honor and bravery and is respected as such by the troops. Her defenses are so high she could withstand a blow from a Tempest Ogre .

She is also able to wear the symbol of Galtz, our national treasure, shield of tradition4) Or legend but I like tradition more in this case.

For those reasons alone, she is a talent we cannot possibly hand over to Rochelle.

(Kirue) Nevertheless...!! J

(Shera) It's all right. Because onee-sama is working hard and since she cannot be replaced, It's fine to view me as disposable. J

(Kirue) Do you like Lowell that much? J

(Shera) Yes, she is able to wield our country's ancestor's shield so can you imagine how much of a blow it would deal to Galtz if they lost her this time?

(Kirue) Then.. It cannot be said of the fourth Prince that he's indispensable to the country.]

(Shera) I must admit, he isn't the best administrator ever, however our military staff feels like it will never be overcrowded. J

The fourth prince, onii-sama, is quite strong and tends to go in for close combat. He is very good at using his head, provided it's about combat, so I think he would have been a great combat officer. I think he made a mistake when choosing his path as an administrator.

(Shera) Kirue, I understand your worries. But everyone5) referring to the royal family onii-sama, onee-sama and all the others are working hard for the

sake of the country. Since there has never been an attempt of assassination, in other words did you know that within the family, there's no in fighting?

(Kirue) [Yes, I'm aware of that. That's the very reason why it ended up with moving this princess to Rochelle, but...!!]

(Shera) This is also for the country. Did anyone unreasonably say that I should be unhappy? It's fine already, if i had to objectively choose a member of the royal family, then i would have chosen myself and in fact if someone other than royalty goes, it's not impossible for it to trigger another war. J

After I said so, Kirue dropped her shoulders.

(Kirue) [...... I understand. However, princess... Shera-sama is very wise6) Chill: can a teenie be wise?? ok... . That.....]

(Shera) It can't be helped. Even if I look like this and have a nice title, in the end I'm just a pampered child. Onii-sama and onee-sama, they too are probably aware about who should be sent. Even though I got chosen, no one raised much of a voice against it after I accepted the duty and departed. J

As we are speaking, I'm looking into the mirror in my given room.

Inside the mirror stands a little girl with silver hair and rabbit ears.7) Usagimimi Barely reaching 140cm tall, no, I suppose for this age it could be considered quite tall.

My breasts are big enough to grasp, my waist is also slender, sufficient to make men get lustful over me.

But in the end reflected is a young girl with a heavy responsibility for such an age. To reach such a situation things must be considerably bad huh... my thoughts seem to be wandering.

Shera(Left) Kirue(Right) Steve(background left, playing game) Yuki (Background right, playing game)

(Kirue) But, why has the King of Rochelle still not introduced the Princess? Even with things as they are, considering he's dealing with a princess ... maybe they are making light of us?

Kirue seems to be dissatisfied with the situation as we are currently being left alone, somewhere inside the Royal Capital of Rochelle, also there isn't enough

freedom to do anything about onii-sama's side mission.

(Shera) Try to keep your calm. Rochelle must be troubled about how to treat us, it's a fact that we came to Rochelle on relatively short notice. J

(Kirue) Why would they be troubled? Are they dissatisfied with having Princess Shera remain in Galtz or something?

(Shera) It's not that. Earlier I told you that onii-sama asked me to act as an intermediary to seek for information from the inside right?

(Kirue) Oh, so the other party is also aware of that. J

(Shera) Well i wouldn't go as far as saying they know that I've been told to do so, but they have certainly strongly considered the possibility. Furthermore, besides the King, the royal family of Rochelle only has females for now. There are many dukes in families, but in short finding appropriate partner candidates must be hard for them. J

(Kirue) Wouldn't that make your investigation of their internal circumstances much harder?

(Shera) [Yes, most likely they are searching for someone that won't hurt me, is high enough in social status to be fitting for a foreign princess, is willing to marry me, isn't too ambitious and can manage to keep information hidden even when investigated by their own wife.]

For me, I can easily accept it even if it's someone of lower standards, but even so it seemed to be hard for the other party.

Thus a few peaceful days passed until we were moved out of the palace. We were told that the King would personally introduce us to my partner.

The King of Rochelle is moving personally for myself?

No, maybe this is acting to convince me to accept it short-term, before abandoning us?

But, why are we travelling out of the capital? And it seemed they had considerable provisions.....

(Kirue) At this point we've traveled for 10 days. What are you thinking? Since we are that far away we should have reached the countryside, what a nice place to stay...... Wait! No way, are we going to be imprisoned! ?

(Shera) That won't happen. In the end, I am a royalty and remain a return gift, not a hostage, even if that is a core component in my value. Confinement won't happen, because if I was, I would be unable to answer any letters from Galtz and that would be unbeneficial for the alliance, in short: war. J

(Kirue) [Still, this is a very far away place.....]

(Shera) Who knows, I don't understand either. But, if there is a problem I shall refuse it. Let's just wait and see. J

Well, if they try to do something like making me marry a local lord, then that would be a nuisance, it would be very unskillful of them and I would just have to raise my voice, scenario over.

Are you denouncing me as a kid? To think the King would go that far.....

(Rochelle noble) Then Shera-sama, I have kept you waiting. I am also sorry for bothering your retainers. J

While I was thinking such a thing, someone who was doing the correspondence from the Royal Capital appeared.

(Kirue) What is this!! That is a mere village!! What are you thinking?? J

Kirue as a result yelled, outraged.

But no matter how you look at it, it truly is just a village.

No matter how you look at it, this does look like a brand new one, but a village nonetheless... WAIT, what's with that setting.....

SFX: Dogoooon!!

A little farther, the sound of some dull crashing echoed.

Kirue almost instantly moved in front of me in order to protect me.

(Kirue) No way, are they trying to kill us here?! J

I drew my dagger out of my waist and prepared myself.

I can't fight at all, but Kirue is amazing.

Her level is 45. This is something you could normally only reach if you are in active service in the army for a long time, or a crazy adventurer.

If they wanted to kill us, it should be impossible for someone in our immediate surroundings.

(Rochelle noble) Wa-wait a moment, please, calm down. It is completely different from whatever you're imagining. That is simple playing between the King and his daughter. J

(Kirue & Shera) [[Ah?]]

We were surprised when the King of Rochelle brought a beautiful lady. Wait, when did another princess join the carriages?

(King) Oh, oh, it seems that you have raised the strength of your arms yet again. However, about this much. Wait, you came outside to pick us up? Isn't this village the Dungeon's city?

(Seraria) \(\text{...}\) Huh, well, please come along. This place is inappropriate for a proper talk. You happened to come at the time when my husband will shortly be at the meeting room, so let's go there after a quick tour of the Dungeon.

After she said that, she walked to the place where we could see the entrance of the Dungeon, she then talked to the guard at the entrance.

(Shera) You said his daughter? If she is not Aria-sama, then that lady is..... J

(Rochelle noble) [Yes, our goddess of war. She is Seraria-sama.]

(Shera) [..... Is that the Dungeon Herge-sama managed before she died?]

(Rochelle noble) Yes, Shera-sama. It is exactly as you said. I don't exactly know the details, but Seraria seems to have been engaged with someone who was active during this conflict.

(Shera) \lceil I understand, now that you mention it he might be my future partner huh? \rfloor

After that, we separated from the King, his daughter and the small number of ministers. We then toured the Dungeon.

..... How, how I want to ask.

Everything is far too different.

So different that I have no words for any of it.

It shall be reported that this Dungeon may be involved in the origin for our reparations.

(Shera) $^{\Gamma}$ I must give my thanks to the King of Rochelle for this. J

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(Kirue) [..... Yes. ]
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It seems that Kirue is still in a daze and has not regained her composure yet.

For now we've been allocated a room so I can settle for now, but even in this room the fundamental technology is different.

I didn't know if it is magic or something else, but it is easy to make water appear. You can even make hot water on demand and you're free to take a bath whenever.

Even though it's already night, there's a light source? Seriously? Just by pushing a button, a magic trick makes light appear.

If you were to manage to bring this technology back to Galtz, you could earn tremendous profits and the lives of the people would improve tremendously.

However, why would the King of Rochelle bring us to such a treasure trove?

If memory serves, Seraria-sama abandoned her succession rights with her rash engagement.

It means that she followed her husband into this Dungeon.

But, the profits from this Dungeon would eventually flow over to Rochelle.

Why would you put me as a mistress to such a person and what would your interests be?

For the country Rochelle it should be a terrible loss.

(Shera) \lceil Right now, no matter how I think about any of it, I can't find any answer. Tomorrow I will meet someone who will be my husband. Let's listen to a lot of explanations at that time. \rfloor

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(Kirue) 「... sama... Shera-sama!!」
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(Shera) Oh, Kirue. You returned to normal. What's wrong? J

(Kirue) A-a-are8) T-t-t-that (or over there) !!]

Kirue pointed out to someone from before.....

(Lilith) \(\text{Are you the seventh Princess who came to marry Yuki-san?} \)

Together with a faint light, a very beautiful woman floated over.

(Shera) Yes. I am the seventh Princess, Shera. And who might you be..... J

The woman in front of me didn't feel much nobler than me for some reasons.

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(Lilith) \( \text{Are, I apologize. I am called Lilith. } \)

(Shera & Kirue) \( \text{\Gamma Huh! ? ] } \)
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We're both gobsmacked before the haughty woman who called herself using the name of a God.

Somehow, I understood that what this girl said was a fact.

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(Shera) Th-then, why is Lilith-sama before me? [
(Lilith) Eh just for a bit I was thinking of helping Yuki-san. ]
(Shera) Yuki? Just as you said earlier, he is...... ]
(Lilith) Yes, he is the one who will be your husband. ]
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(Shera) Then, Lilith-sama wants to help Yuki-san? How would you meeting me be of any help to Yuki-san? J

(Lilith) It will don't worry. I have no doubts that that person will save this continent. However, by himself it will prove to be very difficult9) Chill: in other words it would be possible o.0 Face: Remember he defeated an elite army with a baby Dungeon, right? . Therefore, I will grant you my blessing. You will be the support to saving the continent. J

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(Shera)\GammaThe support to saving the continent? J
(Lilith)\Gamma...... It will depend on you. J
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The moment she said that, her figure disappeared and a pale light wrapped around us.

When the light disappeared, our status opened arbitrarily..... newly added was Lilith's protection.

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(Kirue) 「...... That was... The real thing?」
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(Shera) Γ ... Looks like. As for this, I wonder why my marriage would bring forth a messenger of god10) Chill: but the messenger is far more godly than god T.T . Γ

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(Kirue) Messenger of God...!?
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This was an unexpected event.

The man, whom God believes would save the continent, and because of him

Lilith-sama appeared, giving her protection to Kirue and myself so that we could support him.

Just like the Holy Woman of Ritea, a divine protection.

A protection that carries the name of Lilith-sama.

Tomorrow was going to be fun.

God recognized him, my husband.

Are, but something's strange.

I would like to send extensive support to Galtz, but I would have to ask for my husband's policies first and what if they conflict.....

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side : Lulu
(Lilith) [1'm back. ]
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Lilith-sama has come back.

Now we are in a hurry.

I was glad that Lilith-sama gave help to Yuki-san, to ensure we could have a baby, as for doing it that is a big problem for me!!

I understood that danna-sama, Seraria-sama, Lutz-san and the other girls were all at their wits end.

(Luna) [Yosh, Lilith have you given your blessing to the seventh Princess?]

Here is Luna's picture, it is from the scene in the previous chapter.

Said Luna... sama.

(Lilith) Γ It is perfect. With my divine protection she can easily give birth to children, there's automatic recovery, no risk of breech birth, a general increase in status, the difficulty of casting recovery magic drops and she doesn't need to chant an aria anymore which can come in handy \sim \bot

Lilith-sama didn't only give her protection to us, but also to the seventh Princess of Galtz under the instruction of the Goddess above her.

(Yuki) [Yosh] that's not it!! Previously this sort of thing gave rise to a conflict based around the Holy Woman Herge!! Don't make another Ritea-like case, giving Lilith's protection to someone from a foreign country, that is not [Yosh]!!]

That's true.

With this there is no way Ritea can keep face anymore.

Still, if everyone gathers under Yuki and hides their abilities, there shouldn't be a problem... No, there's one.

The problem lies in appraisal skills, like Labiris's, that type could discover something and make a lot of noise.

(Luna) Eh, look, isn't Lulu here? Isn't she the retired Holy Woman of Ritea? Isn't it the same thing? Where's the problem?

(Yuki) Why do you think she's here?! If you keep doing things like this, it'll become ever easier for wars to break out you know!? J

(Luna) That sort of thing is your problem right? If that's so, deal with it on your own.]

(Yuki) Then as troubleshooter, I ask you to have some judgement!!]

(Luna) Is this not a good idea? Then would you be able to birth children safely? Nee, Aslin, Philia? J

Yes, Luna-sama cunningly asked Aslin and the girls who were inside the bath11) Chill: so how useless was she again? .

The two of them are, of course, very fond of my husband......

(Philia) [1'll give birth to onii-chan's children!! I will immediately do it!!]

(Aslin) Nii-sama!! You won't need to worry about anything thanks to this!!I can give birth safely thanks to God's protection!!]

These two are too excited.

Though there are other kinds of worries, it's hard to deny...

He really dislikes God, my husband. 12) I don't get it:本当に旦那様が嫌がるわけです。

She's too messy in her methods though, it's true. 13) I think Lulu is talking about Luna but there's no way to be sure

(Yuki) Can't you do something about your odd luminescence?! J

(Luna) That's because, even though this place is my home, when I say I am a Goddess I no one believes me without it? I

(Yuki) Oh yeah I suppose that's true. So when you were trying to prove your divinity you just forgot about it?!

(Lilith) Maa maa, Yuki-san. I will also help you in the future. There's no problem with this arrangement.

(Luna) Look, Lilith is helping. She's a Goddess, aren't you glad14) Chill: Go subordinate! clean up after master!! ?

(Yuki) Th-this useless Goddesssss!! J

Danna-sama's shouting next to me, but I'm not really paying attention.

(Lulu) A-hahah..... Lilith came to help us... How on earth should I explain this to Alshtail-sama in the future......]

(Lutz) ... Lulu-sama please calm down. Look, even if she gave her protection to the seventh Princess, in the end she will be in the same camp as us, being one of onii-san's wives, so it's actually all still in the same faction.]

Incidentally, when I wrote to give this report a day later to Alshtail-sama, she seemed to have made a mess over at her office.

..... Of course she would.

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Afterword of the author

That useless Goddess.

She's useless no matter how you look at her lol.

Chapter 83 - Blocking With All My Might.

Side: Yuki

Well then, hello. Today's the day I'm going to meet the seventh Princess.

Anyhow, regarding the divine protection, I wanted it to end peacefully but alas......

(King) Alright, okay. I didn't expect Seraria to get angry here. Even though I tried to think about the Dungeon's future and was thinking about how to deal with the bomb Galtz sent... I

Somehow, the King of Rochelle was fidgeting.

(Seraria) [.....]

Oh oh, Seraria seems to be pretty irritated from seeing his appearance.

(King) $^{\Gamma}$ Because I don't want to be hated any more than this, I will return to the country after dealing with the affair regarding the Princess of Galtz. \rfloor

What's the deal with this old man1) Yuki used Oyaji, just like when Seraria used it. but here he is not using it to say "father", well I don't believe he would, so I switched to use "Old man" instead in this specific case but they are in fact the same word., solve things by yourself!!

And now it would be very troublesome to return the seventh Princess back to her home.

She received Lilith's protection, it caused great confusion on the day it was professed.

(King) I understand Seraria's feelings, but for now we need to take care of the Princess some way or other.....]

(Seraria) [... I understand... ho]

While talking about it, her face became stiff and she compromised halfway.

(Seraria) O-otou-sama. This matter regarding the seventh Princess, I will accept it.

(King) 「... Do you hate me?」

You brat!!

Seraria's determination to expel you is going to rise even further.

(Seraria) ... From the beginning... No, I don't dislike you. Rather, I am very happy about this relationship.2) Editor note: somehow she seems to be forcing herself... J

(King) [Really!! I'm delighted!! Then tell papa you love him!!]

The air froze.

Oi oi, the daughter is higher leveled than the King at this point.

There shouldn't be a reason for him to not understand that.....

Or is he actually provoking her....? No that doesn't make sense either....

(Seraria) 「… Pa… 」 (King) 「Pa?」

I beg you Seraria.

This is for the sake of the peace and security of the surrounding nations!!

(Seraria) [I love papa! 3) Papa daisuki!]

What a magnificently cramped face, but she did the job.

She's kind of cute when she laughs normally, so what have you done to be hated this much...

The members of the different delegations also watched this with stiffened faces.

Well, he probably just doesn't know how to associate with Seraria.

It seems that his relationships with his wives are bad.

Around now, I'm getting the impression that polygamy is normal. 4) Chill: I wonder if it's to offset how much of THAT they have to put up with?

(King) Hoho~!! I'm super delighted!! Well, but I was ready to accept it if you said that you hated me though. J

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(Seraria) [... Ah?]
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(King) I'm somehow pleased with my son-in-law on the flip side. He said that he would accept the marriage and after that he didn't say anything. As a matter of fact, it's more convenient for our side this way. J5) Anth: I believe this King raised exactly 12 death flags, well maybe less depending on the number of girls

at the meeting.

Oh, here was the effect of Lilith-sama.

I wondered why but she got irritated.

This will turn out in justice for my wife!! Probably.

(Seraria) Th-then, the meaning of those words earlier..... J

(King) Because I am glad!! 16) In other words he was not threatening them when he asked for her to say Papa daisuki

Seraria put her hand on her sword.

(Yuki) Tyes yes, calm down!! I'm asking you, calm down!! J

I restrai-I mean hug her from behind.

(Seraria) 「..... uh, I'll get him for his deeds today. 」

(Yuki) I understand. Just step back and listen from here on out J

(Seraria) I won't step back. I won't stand down in the middle of this. J

(Yuki) [It would only hurt you Seraria.]

(Seraria) That won't happen. Or perhaps I should say that I will put the other side to sleep. Yes, that would be nice..... I'll leave it to you then. The blood in my head is about to explode. J

I had made arrangements for Seraria's libido to take over earlier, so thankfully she's being surprisingly docile.

Oh, it seemed that the event concerning childbirth today lifted the weight on her. 7) In other words she's backing down because of happy things

It seems that they had also decided something at the wive's meeting. 8) Anth: Holy devil of hell, he KNOWS

Also, they came up with something like a wife rotation, someone always has to stay with me to prevent various problems.

A harem is a harem, but a harem is a hurdle.9) What hurdle?? from getting a bigger harem?? you-...!! Face: well as someone who's got one there is a few troublesome things most people don't think about so a harem isn't all positives I wonder what would normally happen regarding punishment if a master buys and abuses slaves.

By the way, I was removed from all work shedules for 2 weeks due to child-making 10)Anth: AHAHAHAHAH

(King) Fumufumu. Seraria surprisingly listened to you. As one would expect of my son-in-law.]

Noisy, if the ministers weren't around you would have already heard my thoughts by now.

(Yuki) I am thankful for your words. However, my wife is a good wife who always hears me out.]

(King) Umu. There is no problem within my marriage either. Which is regrettable, truly regrettable. Then Son-in-law, as a reward for this, the seventh Princess of Galtz will enter from the side of this room. J11) Anth: I really feel like the King is just talking like a kid in every sentences... Chill: I feel a Pervert in their midst

(Yuki) Well, this time you decided there would be a reward?

(King) Tumu, but this time Seraria went on a bit of a rampage. Seraria will thus receive a punishment and therefore no reward, but I must reward the one who helped Rochelle reach it's recent results. J

Hahaha, it's with that sort of theory that you would push Galtz's Princess to me?

The ministers also nodded in harmony.

(Minister A) Γ If it's you Yuki-dono, then you'll be able to cope with Galtz's Princess properly. \rfloor

(Minister B) $^{\Gamma}$ Exactly, because thanks to Yuki's tactics, he withstood the strong army from Ritea!! \rfloor

(Minister C) There's no problems with this arrangement. Because it will be balanced with the Princess as a reward. J

You guys were saying such generous things, only because you didn't want to handle her yourselves.....

(King Then, we can't make you wait for too long. Come on in.]

After the King of Rochelle finished talking, the doors of the conference room

opened, the Princess and a person who is most likely her maid came inside and knelt before me, lowering their heads.

(King) This is Shera-dono. Shera-dono he will be your husband from now on, so you don't need to go that far alright?

But the Princess who is called Shera answered without raising her head.

(Shera) No, King of Rochelle. This person. Yuki-sama will be my husband, to the point of being my master, but before that..... J

(King) 「Before?」

(Shera) I'll tell you the truth Yuki-sama!!12) she is thinking about confessing about the protection to Yuki, thinking he doesn't know about it Lili...... J

Shera suddenly raised her head as she tried to spill the beans.....

(Shera) Kya13) High pitched female sfx !? J

I embraced her in one go.

Yosh, the bombshell line stopped.

(Yuki) Wh-what a beautiful Princess!! J

(King) [Well, no matter how beautiful she is, she remains a child.]

(Yuki) No, I've never seen a woman this beautiful!! She's like a deity14) Chill: what was it again about those 12 death flags? !! J

Ah, I used megami because I already knew an useless kami. 15) Kami means God but can Also mean Goddess. Megami means Goddess or Female Deity, Here Yuki didn't want to call her Kami because of that useless Goddess...

When I spouted these random lines, the gazes from the various representative members stabbed me.

(Lutz) Fehh, huh. Do you prefer such a tiny rabbit woman, onii-san? J

(Ellis) Ca-calm down Lutz. A-are, was it decided there would be some acting?

(Lutz) \(\Gamma\) I know Ellis. I know but, but this reaction cannot be helped. \(\Gamma\)
(Tori) \(\Gamma\) Something feels wrong. \(\Gamma\)

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(Riel) Tori that's called jealousy. I feel it too. J
 (Labiris) ...... Unpleasant.16) Chill Fuyukai Desu~~ J
 (Lutz) ... I will report this to Aslin and Philia. They'll certainly drown him in
punishment tonight. Of course so will I. J
 Kya, I'm scared.
Very scared of going home tonight!!
I'm wondering whether I should go out and eat somewhere!!
 (Yuki) 「…」
 Seraria and my gaze lined up.
 (Seraria) Prepare yourself.
 I heard that a couple can communicate with their eyes, but this is something
different, far too different!!
 (King) [Umu, it seems that my son-in-law likes her, you being together with
Shera-dono isn't bad. My goodness it's an engagement.... Speaking of which,
wasn't Shera-dono trying to say something a while ago? J
 (Shera) Oh, that's... J
 Hii, the King of Rochelle just keeps spouting unnecessary things!!
Honestly, I don't have the time to deal with this!!
 (Yuki) [Shera!!]
 (Shera) [Yes? Ubuh!!]
 Mou, I violently kissed her.
Kusoo, Why did I have to imitate such a protagonist from a rom-com......
 (Shera) 「Umumu... Fuwa...... 」
 Shera seemed to be stunned by the cuddle and the kiss.
Yosh, It's fortunate she's still a child.
Further investigation couldn't possibly happen.
  (Yuki) So, as Shera-dono looks tired. Maid-dono please join us, I'll lead you to
your room. J
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(King) 「Oh, okay」
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As I'm carrying the Princess in my arms because of her condition, I tried to leave the meeting.

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}I'II$ take my leave, King. Shera seems to have fainted from the shock, so I'll give you the details later. \rfloor

 $(King)^{\Gamma}$ Hey. That posture... son-in-law, something looks wrong?] It's because of you!!

It left without speaking my mind and after putting the Princess to sleep, I had to kiss with all my wives.

Huh, I survived?

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Afterword of the author

There was no choice.

It's for the sake of the country.

Don't explode Yuki it's not good!!

Chapter 84 - Pretexts For War.

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Preface of the Author

I'm sorry.

It was too long so I split this.

The reason why I couldn't post this yesterday was because of confusion.

I could only see the management screen. And others could connect properly......

Also, thank you for your impressions of the useless goddess and Shera.

Here is a bit of an explanation regarding his disguise.

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Chapter 84 - Pretext for war

Side: Shera, the seventh Princess of Galtz.

Now, I'm completely ashamed of myself.

It happened when I tried speaking about the divine protection I received from Lilith, in front of the King.

I had completely misunderstood that I was the only woman who would be able to support danna-sama, in accordance with the words from the Goddess.

Also, because I didn't understand that talking about the Goddess's messenger would bring risks for danna-sama.

Because I am a concubine, I had to understand it after a while!!

I was getting too carried away because of Lilith's divine protection.

(Seraria) [... Ano, you don't have to lower your head that much?]

I was in front of Seraria-sama, bending my upper body as an apology.

If I had finished making that mistake at that juncture, it might have ended up in war between the three countries.

(Shera) No, it truly was inexcusable. I only properly thought about it after Lulu-sama explained it to me. Although the lacking me received divine protection, I was too rash. J

(Seraria) It's fine. Even Lilith-sama hadn't thought about such potential retributions, such a reaction was normal for Shera to make. Besides, you

couldn't have known that everyone else on our side, namely Yuki and his wives, had all received the protection as well.]

(Shera) No, I only knew that danna-sama was going to be the one saving this continent. I think, an apology like this is natural.

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(Seraria) 「..... I-is that so?」
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Oups, I made the same blunder.

How could I possibly get danna-sama to forgive me now?

No matter how you look at it, at the previous meeting it was all acting, he doesn't actually hold such favor for me.

I think it is wonderful that he protects the ignorance of the young.

However, since we aim to save the continent, we will need talented people and such blunders simply aren't good enough.

As for me, I think such persons are definitely needed1) Chill: in other words she doesn't see herself as such a talent.

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(Shera) [Uh, Uuu..... ]
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Poroporo, tears are swelling up....

Uuh.... I can't stop my tears, because of the disappointment i feel towards myself, I betrayed the mission Lilith-sama had given to me.

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(Seraria) \(\Gamma\) Umm, dear. One of your wives is crying. \(\Gamma\)
(Yuki) \(\Gamma\) can see. \(\Gamma\)
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The voices of Seraria and danna-sama.

Ah, I guess he would say that I'm not necessary right about now.

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(Yuki)^{\Gamma}Shera, it's fine. You are indispensable to our objective. J (Shera)^{\Gamma}Eh? J
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What do you mean?

I'm nothing but an ordinary Princess of some country.

Moreover, when such a child doesn't have any value, they will simply be disposed of, married off or similar.

Despite that, danna-sama said he needs me.

(Shera) Wh-why? Even though I have bothered everyone so much and

blundered at every possible chance ... J

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}I$ wonder if you can try to not only hear, but also comprehend what I said?

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(Shera) [..... Ah. ]
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Danna-sama needs me.

He doesn't need my title or my body and he wants me to grasp why I'm needed. With told like this it truly means that he really needs me, the person Shera. Somehow my thoughts went like this.

(Yuki) The important thing is to learn diligently. Everyone makes mistakes. I think that the most important thing, is that we reflect properly and think about why something went wrong and learn from it to prevent the same thing from happening again. J

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(Shera) ... Yes, I guess that's right. J
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(Yuki) I think that Shera will be able to properly capitalize on the newfound knowledge next time, in case you do, then you're a very praiseworthy person, don't you agree?]

(Shera) Γ currently at least, I'm a useless person, so please treat me well. \rfloor It's exactly as Lilith-sama said.

This man will surely save the continent.

Someone who can find the importance in meaningless things.

A wonderful person that doesn't lose to power, fortune and desires.

Therefore, I suddenly noticed something.

(Shera) Ano, Yuki-sama. Excuse my asking, but how exactly did you manage to get recognized by Lilith-sama?

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It seems that his wives also noticed what I said.

「Which reminds me, I did notice dear, didn't you say that you became a Dungeon Master? Why did you use "became"?」

Tyes, I also heard it from onii-san. What on earth does that mean?

The sights of everyone centered on Yuki-sama.

(Yuki) Hum, oh, my previous introduction was a lie. Sorry. Would you have believed me if I had said God transported from a distant planet to this one and changed my race?? J

I believe it, but everyone has a subtle look for some reason.

What's the matter?

(Yuki) \(\text{Why I could recognize that useless Goddess, since I was moved to this world by her. \(\text{J} \)

(Lutz) \(\sum_{\text{......}}\) Let's see\(\text{......}\) If i was told this back when we first met, I would have probably looked at onii-san as if you were crazy. \(\sum_{\text{.....}}\)

Everyone nodded silently.

Eto, somehow, don't you all think that you are disrespecting a God here?

(Seraria) However, with this I'm convinced. Yuki does have too many different technologies and his knowledge is too abstract, so i had always wondered why he didn't just return to his hometown, since that must be paradise or something.

(Lutz) \lceil Also, onii-san was referred to as the one who would save the continent. \sim \rfloor

(Yuki) \(\tau_{\text{.....}} \) Ah\(\text{, well about that. In fact it's a lot more reckless than it sounds. \(\text{ } \]

(Seraria) Ara, dear, everyone here doesn't say anything about your irresponsible manner of speech. I believe you've already showed us more than enough of how reckless you can be.]

Seraria-sama intensely stared at Yuki-sama.

What were his results so far?

(Lutz) That's right onii-san. You made this Dungeon, saved He-2) Was about to mention Herge Seraria-sama, bought us to make it possible for people to live here, we have been hospitable and now, a lot of people are living inside the Dungeon. You have also saved a lot of lives. J

(Lulu) Tit is as Lutz said. Danna-sama smacked my opponents because I was

chased. He repaired my broken heart and showed me the joy of living again. He even avoided the war I was desperately trying so hard to avoid. We all believe in you danna-sama. J

When she said that, everyone joyfully nodded.

(Yuki) Thank you. You say that, but in the end, it was only possible because of everyone here.]

Yuki-sama said somewhat shyly.

I don't know much of anything, so I didn't understand much. But going by the general flow, Yuki-sama has not run a dictatorship, but rather ensured that everyone had been involved, at least one way or another, has had a say since the beginning.

(Seraria) However dear, you seems to have accumulated a lot of military might. But what will you do to save the continent? Are you going to raise a flag3) declare himself as an independent country? Are you going to delete Galtz and Rochelle?

Seraria-sama made a self-evident remark about the sacrifices needed to found a country which seems like it will be necessary in the future.

Galtz... Was Yuki-sama going to remove it?

Even I understood that someone cannot save the continent by staying locked up in a remote place forever.

To save the continent, is to unite the continent.

Nobody has been able to do it. Unless you complete unbelievable feats, this continent won't be saved.

(Yuki) FEh, no. That's too troublesome, I'd totally die. J

Yuki-sama said that in the most tiresome way ever.

(Lutz) [Etoo, onii-san. Then, how are you intending on saving the continent?]

I noticed that the one speaking is of the same kin as me. Lutz-san is a rabbit woman. That person asked an obvious question.

(Seraria) Wasn't the reason why you gathered human resources not expressly for making your own country?

Seraria-sama was also puzzled, her head full of curiosity.

(Yuki) To be honest, If I wanted to seriously go to war I could have done so long ago. But I don't want to do something as troublesome as dealing with grudges and dragging up the living standards again afterwards. This place, I especially built it in a place I could safely and quietly live, why you ask? Because I simply don't want to throw my life to the winds. J

(Shera) However, Yuki-sama. Then how do you intend to answer your promise with Lilith-sama?

While I was listening to Yuki-sama, I began pondering something.....

(Yuki) \(\text{Yeah}^\circ \) I will explain it from the beginning. Then you will understand why I created this Dungeon city. Yosh, Shera. Do you know why or how war occurs? \(\text{J} \)

(Shera) \(\text{Why does war come to pass?} \)

(Yuki) \(\text{Yes} \)

I took a short breath before I answered.

(Shera) Wars basically, are fights over sought after lands, resources and capable persons. Currently countries hold some kind of right for any given plot of lands. Even if there's a powerful monster and no one can do anything about it, the area remains as some country's land. Originally property was something someone decided without permission from anyone else, but then this fictional border became very important for a country and was thus, with enough time, turned into fact. Additionally the more lands you own, the more people you can feed and ultimately the stronger your country. In other words, making and protecting a country, is like settling disputes over land with neighboring countries at all times. The easiest way to manage the competition over lands is war. J

(Yuki) Yes yes. What about you Seraria? J

(Seraria) I agree with Shera. Even so, if we were to raise our own flag, we would be taking away this land from Rochelle and even if my Father and my sister know that they would lose, they would still be forced to send troops. J

Yes, in short, the more land there is, the richer and more powerful the country becomes.

Well, indeed, until the end, order isn't always firmly managed and in certain ways disadvantages start appearing when the country grows beyond a certain point.

(Yuki) [I understand, Fumufumu. After all this is such a place.]

(Seraria) Dear, what do you mean by that? It sounded like you wanted confirmation for something.

(Yuki) 「Ou, as expected of Seraria, one of my wives. 」

(Seraria) Today is a good day, dear your behavior is very dere4) nice/lovey dovey/kind etc. today. J

They smiled at each other.

Oh, I'm so jealous. 5)Urayamashii desu

(Yuki) Then, have you all heard and understood why wars happen? J

(Riel) [Eto, Yuki-san. I'm sorry, but I'm a little slow-headed. The previous conflict and the civil disturbance of Ritea weren't about scrambling for land......]

(Yuki) Your head isn't particularly slow, that's a good question. You're listening to things you don't understand. Riel is a capable person who can learn properly. Then, the previous conflict and the civil war in Ritea were necessary fights in order to keep the country. J

(Riel) [Keep the country?]

(Yuki) Tyes, as you know, the higher ups such as the King and the Holy Woman aren't the only high ranking people in a country. There are also other people who have their own policies and agendas and play their cards accordingly. Such troublemakers could be a minister or someone from the army.

Yes, a country has a King at the top of its function, but he alone can't run the country.

(Yuki)\(\Gamma\) Some people don't like the country they are in. If you look at it the other around, from inside the country, the highers ups such as the Holy Woman

or the King are meaningless for base functionality of a country. That's why to help keep the country in their grasp, they need to show that the country is alright the way it is.]

He's exactly right.

Not only words, but actions are needed too.

Both are needed to be both a good ruler and to be viewed as such by the populace.

(Yuki) The war between Galtz and Rochelle hasn't been explained in detail to Shera. But basically, Ritea tried to assassinate Herge because she was a holy woman. As for Rochelle, they tried to invade Galtz in order to pick up land and people. As for Galtz, they executed retaliatory actions to defend themselves and the people of their country and to quell the anger of the people who died. Then for Ritea, for their justification they sent the Holy Woman of Ritea to take the hearts of the people. The opposition however tried to relieve the refugees.

(Shera) Uh......6) Editor note: WE NEED A MEDIC, THERE'S FRIENDLY FIRE OVER HERE Chill: Please state the nature of your medical emergency Face: WHOA TENSKY LEFT A NOTE?!?!? I think we need more than just a medic J

(Yuki) [Well, to put it simply Loire7] That corrupt minister took advantage of Rochelle and the holy woman Herge to invade Galtz. He also had backing by Ritea since they wanted to remove the non-Ritea holy woman. The whole thing spiralled out of control and nearly ended up in all three of them going at it. With this kind of situation on your doorstep, as a civilian, would you feel safer if there are more troops to protect you?]

(Riel) 「Oh, I see. I got it!! 」

(Yuki) However, what if you don't think there are enough of your country's soldiers? Then you might leave the country? What do you think?

(Riel) Yes I understand. J

(Yuki) After you continue with that train of thoughts, there are those among the civilians who would think that it would be dangerous to remain inside the country. Rioting and escapism from the country would start happening, as the public starts trying to improve their own situation.

(Millie) Ah, Crack-san's party was trying to force that. Ritea is no good J

(Lulu) Uguh8) Editor note: the medic that also got hit Chill: Tis is costumer service, ello my name iz muhammed al rizzali, what iz ze nature of your medical emergency? Face: i wonder if her watermelons breasts bounced when she took that hit!!

Oh Lulu-sama was holding her chest.

... Well as far as I heard about this case, it's related to the previous scandal.

(Yuki) Then moving on from that, if you want to strengthen your country, you should have no problem to hold the newly acquired lands... but actually it would not go so well. Or rather, apart from the 4 greatest countries, it would come down to a national level problem? What do you think?

(Riel) Why is that? When you gain more land, your power should rise proportionately too, shouldn't it?

(Yuki) Riel, if it grows like that, then the management becomes a serious deal too. Riel should understand, don't you help the police? Wouldn't it become more difficult if the number of subordinates and the area to be guarded increases?

(Riel) [Uh, yes. Recently I am very busy.]

(Yuki) In the case of a country it would be much larger. Even contacting others would prove difficult, due to distance and lack of face-to-face.

(Riel) 「Uwaa. 」

(Yuki) That's why, the size matters. And in regards to this the 4 greatest countries are reaching the limit. Even if they are able to handle bigger, there are still greedy people who suddenly flare up in the far reaches of the country. When there is distance, the corresponding time to respond to something is also delayed. The wider the country, the harder it will be to deal with. J

(Seraria) Oh, that sort of thing..... Are? J

(Yuki) What's the matter? J

(Riel) But you know, Seraria. Regardless of the distance, can't we contact each other using call?

[[[Huh!?]]]

Those who knew the meanings behind Riel's words, including myself, couldn't hide their surprise.

That's right, the skill for contacting others was also added when we received the Guardian Appointment.

(Riel) Also, if you make a gate Yuki-san, can't you immediately go to the place where you created the gate in an instant?

Upon hearing further words from Riel-san, everyone was stunned.

With Yuki-sama, the country would be capable of going beyond the limits of what current countries have reached in size so far.

You could also contact and move an army in ridiculously short times.

(Seraria) Dear. You can make it happen a continent where all countries are one!! I

Seraria-sama says that.

I can feel my blood boiling.

Now I understand it, If it's Yuki-sama we're talking about, any injustices and any problems can be dealt with immediately.

An ideal nation which could unite the continent.

(Yuki) No, calm down. I don't intend to make a country. J9)Anth: will that be for you to decide? lol

Our excitement started calming down with Yuki-sama's words.

Oh then say that first, well i suppose he sort of did.

For what reason are you leading us like this, then?

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Afterword of the author

Alright, the purpose of Yuki in this continent has become clear.

「Does not make a country. 」

What is the meaning behind this answer?

Chapter 85 - Dumping Things On Someone Else!

side: Lutz

(Yuki) No, calm down. I don't intend to make a country. J1) Anth: will that be for you to decide? Iol

Onii-san said that and suppressed our excitement.

No, maybe I should say that we were woken up.

Right at the beginning, onii-san had said that he doesn't intend to make a country.

Seraria, Lulu and Shera-sama were all very excited, probably because previously they were heavyweights in countries and the potential glory was too appealing to ignore.

However, I can't imagine how onii-san could save the continent or what he was thinking.

Seraria and co were thinking that it would be best for onii-san to found a country and become King

(Ellis) Yuki-san, by what means, if not by uniting the continent, can the continent be saved?

Ellis who has been calmly listening to onii-san asked for an answer.

Everyone stared at onii-san, waiting for that answer.

(Yuki) Then, let me present my thoughts. Ah, but first, as a part of this Dungeon's Management, do you think there's more to it than just being our home?

That being said, everyone nodded.

..... Onii-san, looks like he wants to use the Dungeon to save the continent. Naturally, there's little to no reason, not to use something this convenient.

(Yuki) There was a war just moments ago, there have been an uncountable number of wars in the past and there will continue to be many more wars in the

future. The weakening of national strength, the throttled productivity, the declining manpower, the loss of know-how, the receding standards of living, the list goes on and on, simply put, there's far too many disadvantages to war. Well, I guess there are also advantages which are extremely difficult to gain without it. But fact is wars reduce how wealthy a country is, which in turn, reduces the numbers of people who can be supported by it. This weakens everyone and ultimately reduces how lively and happy humanity is as a whole.2) Chill: I took a lot of liberties with this one :3 \(\)

Seraria's face distorted heavily after understanding onii-san's words.

As Rochelle's "War Goddess", she must have been told how honorable and glorious she is for playing into their hands.

I understand now though, greedy people use the claiming and conquering of land as a front, when they only want to strengthen their own positions and fatten their own wallets. In the end though, destruction and killing is just as it sounds.

Although my chest tightened hearing that dark truth, I understood it.

(Yuki) There is no country which proactively starts a war and just charges in head first. Because even a single war costs a ridiculous amount of manpower and resources. Have you comprehended that?

That's reasonable.

In practice, countries that are engaged in warfare levy heavy taxes, conscript the worker forces and commit a lot of supplies.

The vast majority of all of this comes from the people.

(Yuki) But, it is still necessary to wage war. How else do you secure lands? The root problem is that a nation cannot feed the civilians. Maybe they can this year, but maybe next year there will be a drought, what then? Even if you manage to stave off all of these problems, eventually the people will have multiplied so far that production simply can't keep up. So using war, they have a way to claim land and food relatively simply with victories or defeats. Whilst that may be true, cheaper and thereby more complex solutions exist. For example if they can afford to, they could try the more complex method of negotiating with their neighboring countries to support them during a drought. J

Somehow, I would like to join the stage of negotiations, but there has never been a war where I was able to.

(Yuki) Well, the four largest countries are constantly in a conflict of interest, that's how it is since that's how much profits are tied over, but the smaller countries first have to take away land from each other in order to raise their national strength.

(Ellis) Yes, that makes sense. J

(Yuki) Then, I think that the best way to help the continent is to save the people by avoiding wars.]

That would be the best.

But eventually, war would break out for the image3) prestige, honor, reputation, you name it of each of the stronger countries.

The people living here are safer than any country huh.

(Yuki) In order to prevent wars from breaking out, I will make a gate using Dungeons in each country and using them I will make it easier to exchange goods. I will try to make it easy to obtain each other's resources using money or by bartering. If this can be done, if it becomes possible to exchange ordinary goods en masse between other countries, there would be little meaning behind taking away the lands from the others right?

I thought that it was something reasonable for onii-san to say.

Indeed, by making Dungeons inside every country, and using them as tools for trading, to prevent the exhaustion of supplies, a major cause of conflict will die out.

(Seraria) Dear. That's a sweet idea. But if war could be stopped with trade, then it would have already been done long ago. The 4 largest countries are for the most part self-sufficient, but the smaller countries aren't and some of them lack the funds to buy what they are lacking and so nothing can be done about it with money, so they still need to capture land and plunder to increase their income. Even though it is said to be a country's decision, in the end it is impossible for the people to stay silent about others4) other countries getting wealthy easily.

I also understand Seraria.

If one person lived better than another, he would likely react. And if your entire country is starving, you would like to resolve it by any means necessary. Even if there's trade, it won't stop war.

(Yuki) Fufufu..... What Seraria said is reasonable. But you have overlooked something important.]

(Seraria) \(\sum_{\text{Something important?} \) \(\)

(Yuki) Yes, if there is trade, war won't vanish. This is natural. But I said that I will make trade with every country by means of the dungeon gates...... Which means I could use the gates and freely move from one country to another. Do you know what this mean?

(Shera) Don't tell me...!? J

Oh, Shera might have noticed something.

This Shera-sama seemed to be only slightly superior to Aslin and the others in terms of height, but if you look at her behavior from a while ago she seems to be quite good in the head.

(Shera) Do you intend to make the countries monitor each other with the gates......

(Yuki) [Hit]

Onii-san was laughing maniacally.

Yes, he looks very wicked.

(Riel) Sorry, Yuki-san. I don't get it. J

Riel was about to cry, she must feel very sorry.

Well, it's unavoidable since her strengths are in other areas5) as a police officer, she doesn't need the smarts to think politics.

(Yuki) [Well, Riel. Tori has something you long for and that object is always besides Tori. Tori has it but she will not hand it over. But what would you do if Tori asked for an outrageous amount of money?]

(Riel) 「Well, I'd give up.」

(Yuki) Ch, sorry. I forgot to mention, in this situation you can't give up. You long for this item so much, you might say you live for it. 」

(Riel) Then I would go out and steal it from Tori. Oh, but I would never do such a thing to Tori!?]

(Tori) [I know. I believe in Riel and I would never be mean to you as well.]

(Yuki) That's right. You would steal. I wonder if that's close to the truth behind the countries wars. Well I suppose in that case it would be closer to Riel hitting Tori before snatching it though.

(Riel) [Ueee... I hate wars.]

(Yuki) However, since there is only two parties here, the others don't know which one is correct, you would both say that you are righteous. Now let's change the premise. Riel, Do you think you would steal the thing you desire from Tori, if there was other people besides her?

(Riel) I won't. It'd be bad if I'm discovered...... Oh, it's something like that. Every country can look at the other countries and are connected, if you make a low-blow or start a war while being monitored, all the foreign countries would become enemies all at once.

I see, this was the cause of his wicked smile.

Even if we don't do anything, all countries would monitor and prevent each other from doing anything bad. Even if there's an item with an extraordinary value in one country, we can buy it somewhere else and make the country lose face because of the outrageous price.

On the contrary, even if they wage war using the pretext of resenting another, the reputation among the other countries would drop significantly, maybe to the point of starting another war for exactly that reason.

Depending on the object, though the price may fluctuate, it wouldn't be possible for a single country to unilaterally raise a price.

Because the other sides selling goods would also in turn trade more with their surroundings if the price starts rising. The prices would remain within the realm of reason.

Or rather, if they trade with the gate, the information on prices could be gathered and used by us.

..... Onii-san, I think what you're doing is dreadful. And amazing.

(Yuki) \(\Gamma \) As Riel-san said, if you take actions that are judged as setting up for

war, many countries would form an alliance just to stop and counter you, the freshly conquered land would then be divided amongst the alliance. Unless an outrageous idiot rules a country6) Chill: so a Trump card? :3, all the merits behind waging war disappear. Rather, the risk of countries disappearing will gradually be reduced. Nobody would proactively wage war. J

(Seraria) \(\scale_{\text{.....}}\) As expected of my husband. Although it should be said that war might still occur due to differences in opinions, if that's the case it probably can't be helped. What would you do? \(\)

Right, I guess there are many conflicts that can't be avoided in society. Well, the scope would still be reduced.

(Yuki) [It's dependant on the level of skill of the country in question. If it wishes to wage war unconditionally then it's because they aren't able to support their people. This will always be a problem for a country, whether the land is fertile or not, there will always be someone stupid, who can't manage such a situation. You only have to enlist the aid of another country. Proud people can't live without meals. And such a place where war starts because of a simple disagreement, in such a country people will move away. They don't like starving, they just want to live peacefully and so they will move through the gate and evacuate to a safer country.]

At onii-san's explanation Seraria too was jaw dropped, dazed.

Oh, there is also that way of using the gate.

If merchandise could pass, of course people could pass too.

(Seraria) \(\text{......} \) As long as there is not too much of an attachment to the war-pioneering country, people won't stay, unless they can't travel to the gate.......

There would really be next to no merits to waging war. The more war there is, the more people will, no everybody who seeks safety would move away. Mercenaries and others who aim for righteousness and justice would also gather to help against a country like that too

(Shera) There will be few like that though. More likely they will stare at the many countries in times of war and probably just do as mercenaries do and aim for the bigger wallet..... In that case, I would ask we reduce the country's supplies and access to the gate. That way they wouldn't even be able to start

the war. J

Oh, Shera-sama too said some horrible things.

Without supplies there can't be any war.

(Shera) I think that Yuki-sama's plan would bring the lesser damages. J

(Seraria) \(\text{......}\) Even if we manage to quickly remove Rochelle and the other countries leadership, it would then take a tremendous amount of time, effort and supplies to flatten the rebellions, gain the trust and support of the people and turn everything back into being stable. In light of that, let's leave the management/control of the countries to others7) Chill: yesh and then levy taxes from the lot of them and found the Roman empire anew!, is that about right?

(Yuki) Management/control is a terrible way of putting it. I will only take steps so that war will be less likely to occur.

J

(Seraria) Well, you've said plenty. As for this dear, the countries that don't accept your proposal will fall behind the others. Even if they have goods, people and information, they can be threatened this way. If the gate isn't made, the country shall slowly perish. Dear if I'm not mistaken, you will be administering a country that is moving to your will as well right?

What onii-san said is a less time-consuming and also a less damaging method than unifying the continent.

How could I say, well this was what I thought.

(Lutz) \(\subseteq \text{Seraria-sama, do you dislike it?} \)

(Seraria) No, that's as one would expect of my husband. I am glad. However, it seems necessary to have this Dungeon become independent quickly.

(Lutz) 「Oh you're right~」

(Shera) That's right. As Seraria-sama said, if this Dungeon looks like it's under the jurisdiction of one single country, it will be hard to put Yuki-sama's plan into action. Because many would think that Rochelle is the one pulling the strings. J

(Yuki) Well, being recognized as independent is good because we can expect a significant increase in profits, but even then we would still look a part of Rochelle even if we are independent....

(Shera) This is probably the best chance to hone our skills for the future. Isn't that right, Yuki-sama?

(Yuki) 「.....yeah, sorry for bringing trouble to you.」

Onii-san said that and lowered his head to us.

Didn't it just feel like when we first met you?

(Yuki) Uh? Why is everyone laughing?

Onii-san who had raised his head was now looking in our direction, tilting his head.

(Lutz) No no. Onii-san is still onii-san that's all. J

Now, after this we would become busy in regards to negotiations with the other countries.

We have connections with the three countries Rochelle, Ritea and Galtz... Rather we have connections that don't hold much power anymore.

If the 4 larger countries took the lead, the smaller countries should just follow suit... Oya, was this a strategic arrangement?

And after this we've got a break that would last for 2 weeks starting now. 8) Chill: Ii na~~ a holiday would be great right about now~~

Onii-san would have to make kids.9) Tensky, I am not jealous, I am SO not jealous Face: if you're not jealous you can't keep saying you want to punch me To be honest, this was the most important for me.

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Afterword of the author

Fuhahaha!!

There's no troublesome politics, and no repulsive things to answer!!

If you have Questions, throw things to someone else!! 10) Chill: Yeah! don't ask me either~~

The gate in each country, soon!! 11) Face: "soon" A.K.A. Like 50 chapters haha

Trap 9 - First Part: Everyday, The Promise.

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Preface of the Author

For the first time I divided it in the first part and second part.

I'm sorry update were unstable recently.

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First part of the promise.

Side: Yuki

These days I have various difficulties.

No, it's like that. It's an event that doesn't need carving into history, whether it is just daily life, or a promise.....

Because I was trying to organize my thoughts and understand what was happening I started a diary.

Later, I want people to judge it. Maybe it will be seen as a comedy, a tragedy, or maybe just a collection of pages with no value.

As for me, I think that this specific record has no value.

Then why am I adding it anyways?

If you only leave interesting things, then you'll have to make even more entertaining things in the future, or else it isn't interesting to keep reading.

This short tale goes as follows.

Oh wait, it's not as insignificant as a story called \(\text{Steamed buns are scary} \). Anyways, please read.

 \Diamond YearoMonth \triangle Day Saturday, inside the Dungeon: fine weather.

My consciousness slowly returned.

I noticed that I was still half-asleep, so I slowly awoke.

Even if I became accustomed to the Dungeon and the life here, I sometimes feel that this whole ordeal isn't going to work out.

I wonder if it's a characteristic of Japanese people?

(Seraria) Nh, nn? J

I heard a cute voice from right beside me.

Ah, today was the day I slept together with Seraria, huh?

Luna declared that she would prevent any problems that could possibly happen during pregnancy for the mother or the child. She promised to cure them using her Goddess's authority.

1) It seems she wasn't satisfied with Dungeon Master, so she decided to change my race to Milking Cow. (Chill: i just arbitrarily added this :3)
This was my third time with Seraria.

The first night I went to Seraria as promised.

I was worried that she would overdo things and that there would be a problem, but in the end we remained connected until morning.

I was getting depleted, but Seraria was positively shining.

I wonder why, we both did plenty of things, but the only one who ended up becoming weary in the end was me?

While I was thinking about such things, Seraria woke up.

Had I moved too much?

(Seraria) 「...... Good morning, Dear. 」

(Yuki) Good morning, did I wake you? J

(Seraria) No, I just woke naturally. J

While she said so, she moved to cover me with the futon and herself.

(Yuki)[↑]..... Eto, today too? J

(Seraria) Of course, I have to diligently handle the morning. J

Seraria seems to like doing it, and the fact that I have to take a shot every morning after I wake up became the norm.

I think that I did pretty well yesterday though.

(Seraria) $^{\Gamma}$ This way when it ends up this big in the morning, you don't have to endure it. I

(Yuki) You seem to be rather hasty with getting children. J

(Seraria) \(\subset \) can't help it. I'm so happy about it. Would you like to increase the

number of times in the morning?] Talking about that, I eventually got out after a couple of occurrences. Oh, after all I got exploited. (Yuki) Good morning. J After that, I went with Aslin and the young girls to make breakfast in the banquet hall. (Lutz) Good morning. Sorry onii-san, we ask you for breakfast every morning ~] (Yuki) Well, I don't mind making meals for everyone. It is rewarding to make it delicious. I (Aslin) Me too, I'm happy because I can cook with onii-chan!!] (Philia) Today nii-sama is making his miso soup and rolled eggs. J (Labiris) ... The others made fish inside ceramic. Did you use salmon by the way? These were made by Aslin and Philia. J (Riel) [Un, Labiris what did you make?] When Riel asked Labiris, Aslin and Philia pointed to the rice cooker. (Aslin) Labiris-chan cooked the rice (Philia) There's enough for everyone. J

(Riel) Ohh, that's great. Thanks Labiris. J

(Labiris) Thank you, but I can't let Yuki cook rice forever. Someday I will reach the same flavor. J

lyaa, is any difference in taste even possible when cooking rice using a rice cooker?

Well, she was motivated so there was no need to be tactless.

While breakfast was being prepared like this, Lulu arrived.

(Lulu) Da-danna-sama!! Is it true that Seraria did it many times this morning??]

..... Eto, Everyone here, including the little girls, are my brides, but still to talk

about such a thing in the morning with so many people is a bit.....

(Lulu(you sure it's Lulu here? no) Hou, Seraria took a bath this morning. And she was shining a lot more than usual. So, how many times did you do it this morning?]

(Yuki) [Eh,2) Chill: Computing acceptable answer......Does not Compute!!! reboot imminent, entering denial mode I didn't do it in the morning!!]

(Labiris) [... lewd.]

(Riel) Ah alright then, the hard way it is. Is there a particular reason for Seraria's fragrance to smell so strongly from Yuki-san today?

(Ellis) 「... Riel, you're sniffing?」

(Riel) Th-that's not it Ellis!? Because I am from the wolf tribe, I am just sensitive to smell......]

(Tori) You know, when I do the laundry. Yuki-san's bedding... J

(Yuki) Ahh!! Ahh!! J

For some reason, my breathing became rough.....

(Aslin) How many times did you do it with Seraria onii-chan? J

(Philia) Nii-sama!! If you had told me I would have helped!! J

(Labiris) Γ here, it is energetic the morning. J

(Yuki) Labiris don't touch. J

The thing is, since Labiris is from the succubus tribe and has wonderful skills, she makes it become strong just by touching, so she can't right now.

By the way, the 3 girls are always doing it together, I'm speaking of Labiris, Aslin and Philia.

Labiris keeps going until she's tired and goes to sleep, Aslin and Philia then take over and play with me until morning.

Uwah, let me sleep too~

(Lulu) Answer please!! There's a possibility that today's amount would be smaller!!]

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When Lulu said that, everyone's look suddenly stiffened.
  (Aslin) ..... Wait, it feels frustrating if there isn't a lot. J
  (Philia) I would like to have a lot inside..... J
  (Labiris) [... Big problem.]
 Eto, it didn't mean that it'd be bad, but I got stared at for some reason.....
  (Yuki) Th-that's okay. I will do my best with Lulu and everyone. J
  (Lulu) You're telling the truth!? Today's night is mine. I want to properly do
many, many things.3) Face: She sounds super kinky....I like it J
  ... Lulu-sama seemed to be very energetic despite being unreasonable at the
same time.
But, could you please understand that I have an upper limit?
 Incidentally, Lulu seems to like servicing using her breasts, she always tries
various things with her breasts.
That's an agreeable feeling, but she seemed to be dissatisfied whenever the
load decreased.
 (Seraria) Ara? Everyone got rice, so I wonder what you were talking about to
stop you from eating? ]
 Seraria who wanted her meal after the bath, took her seat with a glossy face.
At once I told her about the talk, about the fact that I was going to work hard
for everyone, the debate was then settled and we all began to eat rice.
 (Seraria) Nee, dear what happened to you? You look a little tired? J
 (Yuki) [... That's because I had to keep up with Seraria until morning.]
  (Seraria) Ara, but you can sleep as much as you want. I'll take good care of
you. Including below. J
 This wife wasn't even trying to put up a front, huh.
She is a good wife.
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(Yuki) Well, do your best today, okay? J

[[[Yes]]]

That said, everyone left the inn and scattered towards their respective workplaces.

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(Yuki) Then, to the school. J
  (Aslin & Philia) [[Yess]]
  (Labiris) [... I wonder if you'll carry me?]
  As usual, I lifted the 3 and started walking.
  (Yuki) ..... Is everyone growing? I feel like you're heavier ....
  (Aslin) [Eh!?]
  (Philia) Nii-sama, I'm no-not fat!? J
  (Labiris) ... pay attention to your choice of words a little. It's different for me
compared to the two girls. My breasts became larger. J
  No, the growth of Labiris's breasts was because I was helping...
However, even though her melons had grown even further, nothing happened
in regards to her height though.
  (Yuki) [Itee] 4) Aie! / It hurts
  (Labiris) Ara, there's things that I can enjoy because I'm small. J
  Labiris said that and then tightly hugged my head.
  (Aslin) Ah, sly. J
  (Philia) 「Me too!! 」
 The other two girls also tightly embraced me.
  (Yuki) Yosh, just hold on. Ready... J
  (Aslin) Fast, fast!!]
  (Philia) \( \text{As expected of nii-sama!! } \)
  (Labiris) ... Fufufu. ]
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That's how I hurried to the school.

I wasn't escaping their plots.

In the far off future, this story will have two prevailing opinions.

I'm envious, explode!!

And;

That man is doing well. He is the very definition of a man.

Well, Yuki was the one talking about the story, so why would he write that?

Continuation in part 2.

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Afterword of the author

How was it?

Incidentally, I don't go in detail about the act Lol.

Because I'm a child. Can't you believe in my sincerity? Lol. 5) Face: I'm SLIGHTLY saddened he didn't go into details about the act though

Trap 10 Second Part: Everyday, The Promise.

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Preface of the Author

I had the intention of this becoming the second part and it became in fact the middle part.

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Second part: Everyday, the promise.

Side: Yuki

(Yuki) Okay, so this calculation..... J

I am giving class as usual.

My daily life is carefree.

No, If I think about it now, It would be arrogant to say I'm instructing everyone around me, no I am merely acting as a teacher.

While thinking about that and doing the day's worth of teaching, like I usually do every day, the children were also obediently listening and learning as usual when suddenly.....

(Staff member) Sensei!! Yuki-sensei, it's serious!!]

She comes from the background as Crack, he recommended her as a female teacher... All who thought this phrase was ero, you're out.

She's an ordinary staff member.

(Yuki) Did something happen? J

It's rare to be called upon during class.

It's still morning and meetings are in the afternoon.

(Staff member) \(\text{About that, a strange man appeared at Shera-sama's place...... \)

(Yuki) A strange man? J

(Staff member) Well, he said that he is a heavyweight from Rochelle and that he works together with the general government building.....]

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(Yuki) ... Heavyweight huh. Okay, I'm heading there right away. Could you
take care of the things here? J
  (Staff member) [Yes. Looking forward to being of help. ]
 Just as I was leaving the classroom.....
 (Student) Senseeei are you going to help your woman? J
 I heard a voice.
Well, Shera is a Princess and could be considered to have come straight out of a
picture book.
 (Yuki) \( \text{Ou, I need to protect my brides at the very least. Everyone I leave the } \)
rest in your hands, study well. J
  [[[Yees!!]]]
  「Sensei is going to jump!!」
  (Yuki) [Well, It's fastest? I'll tell you all the story tomorrow, see you. ]
  Right after that declaration, I jump out of the classroom while hearing the
cheers of the excited children.
  Shera-sama is a Princess isn't she? I
  「Un, she is a Princess from Galtz.」
  [Even so, sensei is a hero. He will definitely save her!!]
  You think that Seraria-sensei was helped too?
  (Philia) Yes Desu!! Nii-sama is amazing!! J
  (Aslin) Conii-chan is just like a Prince. ! J
  (Yuki) [... Arara, their images of me have become somewhat extravagant. ]
 Well, it's not like I intend to go crazy, but who knows.
This kinda sounds like a conspiracy.
  By the way, Shera doesn't go to school, she usually helps with the accounting
at the Government Building.
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Although she came to school for awhile, she said that she wants to be useful so she works.

Kirue said 「Originally I wanted to be helpful to the world like that, but in Galtz i had to follow the princes and princesses, I had no choice but to remain quiet. If it's okay please go along with the Princess's wishes. JEven when Shera was told that she didn't have to push herself to do anything too fast, she still wanted to do her best to support me as my wife.

(Yuki) \(\sum_{\text{......}} \) Un, what's this about a heavyweight from Rochelle? \(\sum_{\text{.....}} \)

Rather, didn't Rochelle dump the Princess on us?

While thinking that, I quickly move to office by making use of the return ring.

Why did I jump out of the classroom?

Somehow, it was supposed to be providing an idol.

I'm trying to answer to the children's dreams.

There's no other mascots among the people. I don't want to shrink their dreams, by holing them up in the Dungeon.

(Lutz) Ah, onii-san. You came huh. J

(Yuki) You were called too Lutz? J

(Lutz) Yes, Shera-sama called me to help with the accounting...]

Oh, Lutz is managing the accounting.

Shera-sama is, in effect, her assistant.

(Yuki) \(\subseteq \) So, what happened? \(\subseteq \)

(Lutz) \(\text{No, that's ambiguous. People came the day before yesterday for observation. After they met with Shera today..... \(\text{J} \)

Flashback: Lutz

(Lutz) Yes, let's work hard today. Then, let's start the meeting. J

I say that and gather the managers of each shop.

Of course we're talking about Super Lutz.

Outdoor baths, arena and entertainments facilities.

With the recent launch of the Adventurer District we've even established a store for weapons and armor, it has become impossible to manage all of them by myself.

I elected shop managers and a commercial office was built.

Technically it is state-owned, so could we could say that they are public employees working directly under onii-san?

It's inexcusable. Thank you for your patronage. Please come again.

That's the voice coming from each store managers.

We gather every day in the morning for a meeting and I firmly check for any problems.

Furthermore, the shop managers here are seniors from among the 300 people of Rochelle.

When I see their growth and that they are working properly, I am surprised that I'm managing to keep it all together.

I become emotional when I see how important the stores are for peddlers and adventurers.

How strange. Shera-sama is supposed to be entrusted with the accounting inside the government building.

In other words, someone suspicious actually made it inside...

(Lutz) [Very well. I'm heading over.]

Saying that, I gave a word to the manager who was leading the meeting in my stead.....

 $(?)^{\Gamma}$ Oh, people from the rabbit tribe are so beautiful!! During my observation session I received a message from God telling me to find my wife!!

My head hurts.

Eto, Kirue-san is shielding Shera-sama.

She must have a considerable level of ability then.

I couldn't move this strange man even though I leveled quite high inside the Dungeon.

Does that mean this person has reasonable stats?

(Lutz) [Eto, I am sorry, but who are you?]

(Jama) \(\text{Oh}, \) do apologize. I hail from Rochelle. I govern the lands of Labrousse, I'm the eldest son of the duke of Labrousse, Jama Labrousse. This time I came to inspect this Dungeon, by the direct order of the King. \(\text{J} \)

(Lutz) Ha, thank you for being polite..... Then, why the heck would you propose to Shera? Shera-sama already has Yuki-sa... When she is already the wife of marquis Yuki?

He is strangely polite, there's no feeling of him being rough or domineering, so it's difficult to remove him by force.....

But, the duke?

The son of a man above onii-san's social standing is troublesome.

(Jama) I already heard that. However Shera-sama has obviously been gotten rid of!! No, this Dungeon isn't bad. Rather, it's nice!! Regardless, the reason why she was brought here is obviously because she would've been a hindrance. When I heard about such treatment, I wanted to take a closer look at her situation, but how pretty and beautiful she is!! This is destiny!! Saving the Princess and making her happy is a revelation from God!! Become my wife by all means and let's spend some quality time in our territory. Labrousse is also

very close to the Royal Capital so it won't be an inconvenience. J

All those words come from him in one go.

What a strange, no a very strange man.

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(Jama) And you rabbit girl!! May I ask of your name? J
(Lutz) Yes yes. My name is Lutz. J
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(Jama) Ah, Lutz. You too should be my wife!! It won't ever be inconvenient. I think there is no difference between people. The nobles stand to protect the citizens. But he1) the noble is also just a person. So even if you're someone ordinary, I won't discriminate!! How about it?

(Lutz) Ah, Ahh... Ah, no. I have my duties here... and besides I'm already getting married...]

What if ... I hadn't met Yuki-san before? Maybe I wouldn't have turned him down and become his wife.....

Uwaa, I'm not into that.

No, he doesn't seem like a bad person... But he's giving me chills.....

(Jama) What kind of terrible husbands would make Lutz and Shera-sama work?! You already have an important job of birthing and raising children, yet still more? such hard labor......!!]

No, we have the same husband so there was no need to attach the <code>[Tachi]2</code>) A way of turning things into plural. Author always use tachi, (he says Aslin-tachi, Mauve-tachi, other side-tachi, girl-tachi, and I have to guess every time who is included......) take this own advice into your work......

Point deducted.

Because we want and expect to work.

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(Ellis) Hey, Lutz. Just for a bit, here is the last accounting..... J (Jama) Oh, how beautiful the elves are!! J (Ellis) Uhiya!? J
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That strange man proposed to Ellis as well. 3) Chill: That was a proposal?! No wonder the men in Japan are so scared ...

But, how sincere is he being if he isn't taking the other side into

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consideration.....
 (Ellis) Wa-wait Lutz!? Who is this guy!? J
 (Lutz) Sorry Ellis. Please keep him company for a bit4) Chill: Tactical retreat!!.
After asking her that, I abandoned Ellis to meet with Shera-sama.
 (Lutz) What should I do? I think that Seraria would be the most effective.....
J
 (Shera) No, that won't do. Seraria would probably try to remove this guy
physically. J
 (Lutz) Ahh..... J
 (Shera) Even if it is clearly against my will... It is a downright proposal. Let's
decline properly and make him give up. If that's not possible, then let's ask Yuki-
sama to come and persuade him. J
 (Lutz) [..... To the very last moment, Seraria is the last resort then, right?]
  (Shera) Yes, the neck of this man can't be cut. J
 While turning around, I see him kissing the back of Ellis's hand......
  (Jama) Please become my wife, won't you? J
 (Ellis) Huh? I refuse. I am already married. J
  Ellis says back to him.
Ah, Elven people seem to be quick to hate. 5) Note sure:ああ、エルフ族は結構
潔癖性のきらいがありましたね。
Because she is completely resolute about onii-san..... 6) Not sure: お兄さん一筋
なんですから.....。
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(Jama) How!? You too!? What's with this workplace, making wives work full-time jobs?! These husbands are unworthy. If it was me you wouldn't have any inconveniences!! J

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[[[Huh!?]]]
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Everyone becomes irritated when they hear him directly denouncing onii-san. Well, if he talks about onii-san's abilities like this, he will end up injured at best,

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when trying to sermon us.
 (Kirue) Excuse me. Shera-sama, Lutz-sama, Ellis-sama, should I take care of
this man? I
 Kirue who's watching is getting ready.
  (Shera) Wa-wait calm down. It will inconvenience Yuki-sama if you do that!! J
 (Kirue) ... Nonetheless. J
 (Ellis) Th-that's right. Because we are enduring, Kirue needs to calm down
too. I
 (Lutz) Yes yes, onii-san says that he likes the laughing Kirue, so calm down. J
 (Kirue) Oh Is that so. Yuki-sama he..... J
 Well it's looking bad.
We have to do something about this man, or we will end up making a mess,
maybe even literally.
 (Jama) Okay, please call your husbands!! Let me explain properly and
convince you!! Then please, be my wives to your hearts content!! ]
 Side: Yuki
  Eh, what?
From nowhere, an obotchan 7) Obotchan means young master from a noble
family event?
But he likes the color of their hair I guess?
So awkward.....
 (Lutz) Then, that heavyweight from Rochelle is waiting in the guest room. J
 (Yuki) [..... Do you want me to do something?]
 (Lutz) Yes, if you can't, then we can always just kill him. J
  ... Love is sensible.
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Afterword of the author
Well, a promise is a promise.
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However, it's a dependable obotchan.

lext one should be the final.	

Trap 11 - Third Part: Everyday, The Promise.

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Side: Yuki

(Yuki) 「Ah, hello. 」

(Jama) 「Hmm, ah who are you?」

(Yuki) 「No, I'm more or less the representative, the name is Yuki ...... 」
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(Jama) Oh, you are Yuki, this is the first time I'm meeting you. I am Jama Labrousse. I'm part of the group who came for this time's inspection.

Somehow, his response is totally normal and polite.

No, he's not the duke, but still to be honest I don't care.

Well, I guess he is behaving like he's going to be the next head of his household. If it becomes known to Seraria, it will rain blood......

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(Yuki)^{\Gamma}Haa, do you have any businesses with Shera? \rfloor (Jama)^{\Gamma}Oh, that's right. You treat Shera like one would handle a nuisance. \rfloor (Yuki)^{\Gamma}No, that isn't th... \rfloor
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(Jama) You don't understand the reason why you were entrusted with Princess Shera!! If you treat the Princess like that, there will definitely be protests. That'd definitely be bad news. Do you know why? She has to be treated carefully. It seems that the King has faith in you, but it's not going to work. You have to give me the Princess. J

(Yuki) [Eto, what would happen if I give you the Princess Jama-san?]

(Jama) You will be released from the burden of handling the Princess, I will treat the Princess carefully and Galtz will see Rochelle in a good light. You know, we'd both get advantages that way. J

Ah, isn't he the type of person who changes what he says according to the opponents facial expression?

Oh so it's because of the relationship with Galtz that he can stand firm before Seraria's husband.

There's a big question here, so I should thank you.

Well, I don't know if Labrousse territory is amazing, but it's the truth that there's a reasonable amount of trade due to proximity with the Royal Capital of Rochelle.

If Shera accepts this then she could fulfill her initial purpose. Even though it would be disagreeable to be away from the Royal Capital of Rochelle, she can still investigate properly and it can't be compared with scouting from here.

It would be a suitable reason to criticize the Dungeon.

Anyways, she can choose between her loyalty towards her country and her faith towards God who blessed her to be with me.

Well, regardless of all of that, it needs to be Shera's will to leave, or else she isn't going anywhere, regardless what this man says.

(Yuki) No, all my excuses. Shera wants to work here and besides our relationship isn't bad so I'll refuse that proposal.

(Jama) [Huh?]

Oh, you didn't expect me to refuse so clearly.

(Jama) [Just wait a little. Did you hear what I just said?]

(Yuki) Yes and I refused. Moreover, she is also a reward bestowed upon me by the King himself. It would be a big problem if one just hands on the King's gift to some nameless person, who hasn't even been granted land yet, do you understand?

(Jama) [I am nameless? I am the eldest son of Labrousse, the next...]

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}$ For now, you're just a son. To be honest, based on your conduct, I must doubt the education of your father who is the Duke. \rfloor

(Jama) What doubts do you have regarding my father!! J

(Yuki) They're because you're trying to snatch the wives from someone else by strong-arming them, regardless of the wives feelings. Do you want me to report this to Seraria and the King of Rochelle? Can your house shoulder this? Oya, impossible. You won't claim that it was your father's suggestion, right? Since that's the case, it can be addressed as treason. J

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(Jama) 「Guh...!?」
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Fumu, do you understand now that what you say is unreasonable?

(Yuki) Well, Shera is a beautiful person so I can understand your feelings too. Therefore, let's pretend nothing ever happened this time. Concerning this youthful indiscretion.

(Jama) \(\text{\cong} \)...... Does Princess Shera want to live here? \(\text{\cong} \)
(Yuki) \(\text{\cong} \) Yes that's right. Enter Shera. \(\text{\cong} \)
(Shera) \(\text{\cong} \) Yes, Yuki-sama. \(\text{\cong} \)

When she was asked to, Shera entered the room.

Of course, she immediately sat besides me.

(Shera) Jama-dono, I desire to work inside this Dungeon and It pleases me to be Yuki-sama's wife. I am grateful for your solicitude, but I haven't been treated like a nuisance would in any way, rather, I'm glad to be here. J

(Jama) [Is that... So...]

Jama says slowly before dropping his head.

(Yuki) 「Are you convinced now?」

(Jama) \(\text{\Gamma} \)... Yes, I'm sorry. Marquis Yuki, about this matter, can I ask you to remain peaceful as you had said? \(\text{\Gamma} \)

(Yuki) Well, it can't be helped. This matter will remain between these four walls. Then, it would be awkward for everyone to receive a visit from Jama-san. Please return and be safe. J

When I open the door, Lutz and Ellis, who must be wondering about what's going on, are stood there.

(Jama) Oh!! That reminds me, I haven't seen your husbands? Princess Shera was disappointing, but if you come it would just be a trifle. J

Come on, are you really saying that in front of Shera?

(Kirue) Yuki-sama, is it okay to kill this rude man? J

(Yuki) Calm down Kirue, it'd become serious. Kirue, that was a joke, please put your knife aside. J

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(Kirue) [..... Yes. ]
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Though she answered reluctantly, she did as told. But it seems that Lutz and Ellis are also getting restless.

(Lutz) [I am not an item to own!! What do you know!!]

(Ellis) \(\Gamma_{\text{......}}\) Well, please remain silent. Or would you rather get beaten up by our husband? I

(Jama) What are you so angry about? J

N-not good, this fellow can't read the atmosphere at all.

(Ellis) Our husband is Marquis Yuki there. J

(Lutz) \(\subset \text{So stop being irresponsible.} \) Do you want me to call Seraria? \(\subset \)

(Jama) Ah, your husband is Marquis Yuki? Wh-what!? A Duke is much greater though!? Why are these women gathering for such a guy, it's impossible!!

At last you've reached the stage of despair.

You don't seem to have ever done anything on your own.

Well, I might not be a handsome guy, but isn't he piling up too many things?

(Lutz) \(Ah, it's useless. \(\)

Says Lutz, with a smile.

(Ellis) Regardless what you look at, Yuki-san is superior. J

Ellis is expressionless, the pressure she is exuding is rising.

(Shera) Yuki-sama. I'm sorry, but it's inexcusable. As a wife, I cannot afford to overlook a verbal abuse towards my husband. Isn't that right, Kirue? 1) Chill: lol so even comparing himself with Yuki was downright abuse XD Face: guess we found why it has the yandere tags. Pretty mild compared to what it could be though.

(Kirue) Just as Shera-sama says, degozaimasu. J

Shera and Kirue are taking stance for a battle.

(Jama) Wh-what!? You guys..... J

Thus, Jama spent the rest of his inspection inside a bed at the hospital.

Incidentally, after he went Gyagya2)complained, Seraria who heard about this matter showed him more hell.

Later, this story was called, Don't put your hands on someone's wife. It will be handed down as a classic story.

In addition, Jama in the role of a disturbing insect, became a fixed character who got beaten in every tale.

(Yuki) \(\sum \) Somehow..... Amen. \(\sum \)

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Afterword of the author
With this, the episode end lol.
It was prolonged lol.

Chapter 86 - Evening Drink

Side: Yuki

Today we'll be having a dinner party with the King of Rochelle. I was told that the King and myself will be meeting together for a drink tonight.

It's already been 5 days since the King arrived for his visit.

We finished the interview with the Grand Master of the Adventurer Guild and the tours of the different small Dungeons are almost over too.

Afterwards I will just relax, living my daily life inside the Dungeon. 1) Anth: right right, who will have her turn tonight? Delille?

(King) Son-in-law, what is this drink?

(Yuki) Ah, it's a strong liquor. Is that okay?

(King) [I'm not afraid, so please be generous.]

(Yuki) Well, that's brandy. It is wine which was distilled and then aged inside a barrel... Well, I think it's about 5 times stronger than wine. Alcohol content should be 55%.]

(King) 55... Fufufu J

The King of Rochelle looks at the amber in the glass and laughs.

(Yuki) [Is something wrong?]

(King) No, isn't the alcohol content something that only someone who is extremely used to the feeling of drunkenness would know? That description is very precise. As one would expect of my son-in-law, someone who comes from an isekai2) Isekai means: different world.

(Yuki) [..... When did you notice?]

(King) No, It was guesswork. Since you started settling people inside the Dungeon. Around that time I guess. J

(Yuki) And so, what was the deciding factor? J

(King) [↑]Oh, the decisive factor is this Dungeon. No matter how you look at it,

this place resembles the characteristics of a story from ancient times about another world. Where it was particularly important to entrust the administration to the people of the nation. Well, unlike the methods in the story, you seem to be going about things in a fairly pragmatic way. J

Well there is no particular reason to try to hide it, but then what about.....

(Yuki) \(\subseteq \) So, despite knowing that, you still intended to hand over the Princess... Shera to us? What were your real true intentions. \(\)

(King) Fu, no. I can't manage something as skillful as deceit in that way. I'm not as nimble as you. There would've been an uproar if her matter had been left unmanaged for even one more day.]

He said that and grinned with his whole face. In a way, he's just like a brat.

(Yuki) Puh, that is a King's convenient excuse. J

(King) [Well, I was planning on considering about the Princess while I looked at this Dungeon. However, I had already decided that I could entrust her to you on the first day.]

After sparing some words he drank a mouthful of brandy.

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(King) \( \text{...} \) Hkuh^!! It's strong. \( \text{Yuki} \) \( \text{FBut, is it delicious?} \( \text{King} \) \( \text{Vmu.} \)
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I replace the melted Ice and top up the brandy inside the empty glass again.

 $(King)^{\Gamma}$... Otherworlders. Many are called saviors and bestowed a number of miracles upon this continent. At the beginning, there were places where such summons were accidental, but now they are usually purely intentional isekai summonings, where countries essentially kidnap foreign people and force them to do their bidding. \Box

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(Yuki) 「..... Sounds reasonable. 」
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(King) A long time ago, back when I was still a young man, I was a violent adventurer. I was living carefree, being the fifth in line I didn't have to worry

much about, being a royalty. During that time I met a man who was not an adventurer. Even though I was fully aware that I was a green youth, even if from royalty, meeting someone from an Isekai, a so-called savior, was my dream.

The King of Rochelle is reminiscing over his past while he drinks a little alcohol.

(King) The man was black-haired and wielded a mysterious weapon. It was the same kind of weapon that Seraria has. No amount of magical power could be felt from him, but with his sword and swordsmanship, he felt unrivaled and eventually managed to cut the sword of the devil sword's wielder. Despite being neither a soldier nor an adventurer, he was more than properly trained.

(Yuki) 「... And that person was from an Isekai?」

(King)「Oh that's right, he said he was called Kamiizumi Nobutsuna3) 上泉信綱: Kamiizumi Ise-no-kami Fujiwara-no-Nobutsuna was a samurai in Japan's Sengoku period(Born in 1508) famous for creating the Shinkage-ryū school of combat. Source: Wikipedia J

(Yuki) Buho... Uhtsh, Gehoh, Gehoh!? J

(King) Are you okay? Do you know that name? Are you friends? J

No, I'm just aware of him, but isn't he a master swordsman!? Although I don't know much about him.

(King) [I owe my unprecedented level 5 in swordsmanship to him.]

Oh, it's real.

He seemed to have been good at teaching.

(Yuki) This Kamiizumi did he have anything special from an isekai? J

(King) Tuh? Oh, I'm well aware of such things. His clothes for example, though they weren't like yours... I heard he was wearing a yukata, or perhaps something close to that? It was not a dresscode according to any literature I had heard of, but he himself said that he was just a practitioner of the sword and that the yukata was a part of it.]

(Yuki) How old was he? J

(King) TOh, he looked like he was in his late twenties. He told me that he

carried Tenju4)Tenju means lifespan and was then rejuvenated. I thought it was a joke. J

.... Uwah, the master swordsman reincarnated with his memories? Cheating? 5) Chill: riiiight because you aren't cheating or anything.....

(King) \(\text{So, do you know about Kamiizumi?} \) That teacher was a strong warrior who could do everything in regards to swordsmanship. Please if you ever see him, let me meet him by all means. \(\text{J} \)

Oi oi, that must be it.

(Yuki) Let's see, in my world... No, in the country where I lived, there was such a person called a Sword Saint. That man that lived somewhere between 500 and 600 years ago though.

(King) Sword Saint... I am convinced. That was the Sword Saint. If he wielded a wooden stick, neither his hands nor his feet could be seen.

(Yuki) It was probably impossible to measure, his level with the sword... J

(King) I'm well aware of that. I had him show me once, but his level exceeded 300 and the swordsmanship he reached was said to be infinitely exceeding.

..... Hey, Luna. What is spelling of rule?

No, if it is about Kamiizumi Nobutsuna I'm convinced.

(King) Oh, I left the main topic. Then, what led my son-in-law here from another world?

(Yuki) Ah, you mean why I am a Dungeon Master, even though I am foreign to this world?

(King) That's right. Looking at my son-in-law, I remembered my teacher and instinctively repaid his favor a little. I hope that someday I can meet some people from the same town as him, I would be honored to assist them a little. J

(Yuki) But that's not just a bit of help. J

(King)「Hahahahah. You don't need to worry about the details, I gave a reward appropriate to the results. Unlike my master who was exploring the world, you are interesting in various ways. The Dungeon here is a good example. You are someone who has been tied down to this world. 6) Not sure:縛り上げる方がどう

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Ahh this guy... isn't this King showing off a little too much?

(King) Γ ... My son-in-law, isn't the purpose of making this town inside this Dungeon to establish connections with the other countries?

(Yuki) No, I'm just doing that for the sake of improving my life. J

(King) [Hahahahah. Let's keep it as such. Let's end the difficult talks.]

 $(Yuki)^{\Gamma}$ Now is still too early. The time will come.7) he's referring to making connections with the other countries J

(King) [Really..... Well, delicious.]

He shake his glass and the sound of the ice hitting the side echoes.

(King) [I entrust you with my daughter, Seraria.]

Saying that, the King of Rochelle slightly tilted his head.

(Yuki) \(\subset \) She is a good daughter. \(\subset \)

(King) Thank you. J

Both of us laughed with a refreshed smile.

I wonder what it looks like from the side.

(Yuki) [... What would you like to do? I can offer you the Guardian Appointment, you'll be able to call anytime. I could also convert your castle into a Dungeon to provide you with safety if you would like.]

 $(King)^{\Gamma}...$ Fu, I'm grateful for your offer, but I will abstain from it. I would like to be an inhabitant of this continent till the end. It may be incomprehensible for my son-in-law but.....]

(Yuki) No, I understand... What you're trying to say. You would cease being someone who lives by this continent, it's rules and the people in it. There's nothing bad about it, it's your way of life isn't it?

For my words that neither affirm nor deny, the King merely nods and drank.

(King) I'm thinking about living until the time I could see my grandchild's face, around that time?

(Yuki) \(\subseteq \text{She's extremely assertive.} \)

(King) Kuh, Kuhahaha!! That Seraria huh. I was afraid she would become a heroic woman because of intense training and her prejudices, but it seems like it'll be okay. J

(Yuki) Ch, do you think she inherited her character from her mother?

(King) No, well that's not wrong I suppose. Aria's and Seraria's mother is different from Herge's.]

(Yuki) \(\text{Oh, I've heard about that.} \)

(King)「Both are companions I met back when I was an adventurer. Kakuya8) かくや is the mother of Aria and Seraria, she is a user of both the sword and magic. Herge's mother was the team healer.」

(Yuki) \(\subset \) So are you saying it's from her? \(\subset \)

(King) TOh, she was a good wife. My relationship with her was good. For my daughters, both were important mothers. Too bad that Kololi9) IDU caught an illness. Seraria was very young at the time and even now she's still convinced that it's because I neglected her mother, putting priority on taking care of political affairs. To make amends, I put her in the care of Herge's mother, but when she gave birth to Herge, her body weakened quite a lot. J

(Yuki) [... Is that so.]

(King) It has been hard raising them by myself as a man. For a while I thought that Seraria might remain in a state of celibacy10) abstaining from marriage and all sexual relations for her whole life. For this, I have to thank you.

(Yuki) Weren't you trying to keep your daughter?

(King) \(\text{I do feel lonely that my daughters are leaving the nest, but... I want to see them flap their wings and soar high in the sky. \(\text{J} \)

In that way, the drinking quietly continues.

(King) 「Oh, would this be okay?」

(Yuki) What is it?]

(King) [Even now, I still want a son, but I never gave birth to a male. That's

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why, it's a dream that I had forgotten. J
  (Yuki) And that is? ]
  (King) To be able to drink alcohol together with my son. J
  (Yuki) Mou you're already drinking. J
 (King) <sup>Γ</sup>Oh, let's go with it for now. J
  We raised our glasses.
  [[Kanpai]]
 We hear the chime of the glasses colliding with each other.
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The night is still young.

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Afterword of the author

It was a conversation between the King and Yuki.

Chapter 87 - Discussing The Future Plans

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Preface of the Author

I'm sorry. There was a lot of things and I was delayed.

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Side: Yuki

Now then, as Seraria and Shera had said, if we connect the Dungeon to a number of countries in the future, those countries will surely recognize it as a conspiracy from Rochelle.

In spite of that, we need to start moving at full-scale.

(Shera) That's why, even if we try to become independent from Rochelle, if we don't have any substantial achievements, we won't appear independent because it will raise the question "What have they done to earn it?".]

(Seraria) Huh? Let's just promptly declare our independence and strike in one fell swoop, it leaves no questions asked.

As usual, Seraria says something dangerous.

(Shera) Seraria-sama, Yuki-sama seeks a path in which blood does not flow. What shall we do about cooperation with other countries after that? Intimidate them, or even crush the opposition?

(Seraria) It was a joke. If we simply state that we have our independence, it's still not guaranteed for it to end up in war and subterfuge is it? Even better, since we have Lilith' and Luna's backing, can't we simply use their names and be done with it?

(Shera) Sorry, that won't work either. Well I suppose my father the King of Galtz and the King of Rochelle would be satisfied with that, but not all the vassals will accept Lilith as genuine and not to mention all the smaller countries.

(Seraria) That's right. Even if we manage to persuade them, we will in turn be

considered to be under Ritea as the Goddess's vassal. Finding a solution to appearing truly independent is seeming more and more impossible.

In their own way, the two Princesses are thinking about it.....

(Riel) How does one usually get recognized as independent? I don't really know much.

Riel mutters so.

Well yeah, it would probably be best to start there.

How does one split away from a country and become truly independent, that I don't understand either.

Well, I also don't know about the rules of independence for this continent.

(Seraria) Oh well, generally if you complete large military goals and earn big achievements, you can be rewarded territory.

(Shera) About that, I agree with you. After a large-scale event, the results are acknowledged and large rewards are granted and in extreme cases, independence can be granted along with a territory.

(Seraria) Well, that's true. Troublesome lands are frequently chosen for this. The first choice is usually an enemy country, where the inhabitants are dissatisfied with their new rulers or miss their old ones. The second on their priorities list would probably be territory which borders on aggressive neighbors, in which case you essentially become a pillow. Then their final choice would be territories that are just generally underdeveloped and need serious pioneering. The reason they choose troublesome area to hand over is basically so that they don't have to deal with it anymore. J

(Shera) It's not that simple realistically speaking. But as Seraria says, the bid for independence will only be accepted if the country is willing to lose an area, for whatever reason it may be. Then to gain true independence they need to prove themselves against their new neighbors.

I understand, we can force the independence, but if we do so without permission, then from a certain point of view it could be said that the trade was unequal.

(Riel) [Eto, what about this place?]

(Shera) The usefulness of this place has been proven, don't you think? This Dungeon is a kind place, largely self-sufficient and can be considered a treasure vault.

(Seraria) The heavyweights in Rochelle aren't going to part from this place easily.

(Shera) Yes, I think so. Seraria-sama won the previous political event and we're now exempted from tax for 5 years. However, the goods produced still yield more profits than just taxes can account for, like for example the quality of life is on the rise. And since the time the tax will be paid is in a mere 5 years, they must be eagerly awaiting their earnings and planning or raising taxation. Such people will not look kindly at our independence.

That makes sense.

If you view this from a more narrow and personal perspective, if Rochelle can monopolize this Dungeon, they can decide on what goods to circulate and which to keep for themselves without permission, travel all over the country free of charge and make a seemingly unlimited amount of money.

If you look at this hypothetical situation from a country's point of view, then we would earn great disfavor in regards to all the other countries who are helplessly watching it from the sidelines.

Which could in turn lead to war.

(Riel) $^{\Gamma}$... U—n. After I heard this story, why would it be impossible for us to become independent? No one can stop us. \rfloor

Riel tilts her head so much it is twisting her neck. 1) Anth: wtf Face: whoa spooky Chill: too much Shaft!

Well, that's a little extreme.

(Millie) From what Seraria and Shera said, I understand that there is no way of being independent without doing anything?

(Ellis) [Yes, I understand that..... But what should we do?]

(Millie) That's right. Thanks to Yuki-san, I have become the manager of the

Adventurer Guild, but I'm not good with political things here. Would you like me to ask the Grand Master? J

Ellis and Millie are also inclining their heads, they look puzzled.

(Yuki) Don't worry about it. I'm thinking about it. J

(Seraria) \(\text{Vow? Can you tell me?} \)

(Shera) Yuki-sama probably has some kind of modest method?

Seraria and Shera are also interested, well it's not like I'm trying to hide it.

(Yuki) For the time being, I think this Dungeon will be recognized as an independent nation because of the cooperation from Lulu for Ritea and Shera for Galtz. If we use these cards right then those two nations should accept it. As for Rochelle there are a few options. J

After I said that, Lulu who got lost thoughts murmurs.

(Lulu) I understand, it is a country as big as Rochelle and they already know about the Dungeon. It will also prevent Rochelle from acquiring all the profits. As for their relationship to the other two countries, if this Dungeon becomes independent, they can easily negotiate through us and maintain contact, Rochelle will have to accept us if that happens. J

(Yuki) Sounds about right. As for Rochelle, if the other two countries vocally acknowledge our independence to some extent, even if they had refused at first, they would end up with a bad reputation if they refuse our plea for independence. This is because they would receive an image of being dazzled by money and abusing the dungeon, this in turn would form cracks inside Rochelle's leadership and image which we could abuse. Indeed, currently the situation is at a stage where they have yet to make any profit. No matter how much we look like a gold mine, since there are no actual results yet, the flow should tend towards our independence2) because if they refuse, the other countries will view it as Rochelle trying to monopolize the dungeon. Which they obviously wouldn't like and would look unfair since the Dungeon became rich after proclaiming their independence. . It would be much more difficult if we had already started trading profitably a lot with Rochelle. J

Seraria and Shera nod, as if they were convinced.

(Seraria) That's a characteristic of a great and small country. Abusing the neutrality like that.

(Shera) That's good. If you're a small country then you should look for backing from the major powers to avoid war. Hah, isn't this the same as the end-game plan3) Chill: sorry forgot proper english, deal with it Face: anyone remember how world war 1 started? It's like that, making the countries tie each other down like that.

Everyone becomes quiet as if to say they understand the story so far.

(Riel) Un, does that mean you're going to ask for Galtz's and Ritea's support first?

Riel answers, thinking to the fullest of her capabilities.

(Yuki) That's right. From now on, I want to be acknowledged as independent by Galtz and Ritea, so I will ask for their help.

(Lulu) That's good. Though it will merely take the form of talk about independence from Ritea. You can talk with Alshtail at any time regarding the Dungeon which seems to be very concerning for Ritea, so they must want to talk to Rochelle as well.

Lulu says that there will be no problem contacting Ritea.

I've become acquainted with Alshtail, she owes us a lot of debts so she will be friendly and reasonable.

Rather than returning favors, won't she be earning?

(Shera) $^{\Gamma}$... So that means, Yuki-sama. The biggest problem in the future is the negotiation with my Galtz, is that right? J

Shera stares at me seriously.

(Yuki) Yes, Shera will return to Galtz to talk about this Dungeon and ask for support and a promise of independence. And also to make a Dungeon in their basement that can connect directly to this place with a gate.

(Kirue) Slow down there, wait please. Yuki-sama, Shera-sama hasn't even married yet and despite that just how much are you planning on using her by suddenly sending her as an emissary to Galtz........

Kirue whilst flabbergasted stops the talk.

Well, if the daughter you sent to become a wife and gift suddenly returns just a few months after, then you would think she was returned and something went wrong.

(Yuki) [I fully understand that, but this is a race against time. If we're unskilful dealing with Rochelle then we will lose a lot of options, in addition to that they are going to become more and more pressuring. As soon as possible I wish for a promise of independence and cooperation. Besides, our relationship isn't bad so even if they suspect something, it will be cleaned up nicely.]

(Shera) Yes Kirue, worrying is useless. This is Yuki-sama's strategic arrangement that will save the continent. I am his wife so why would I say that I hate it. And as you said. I and Yuki-sama are properly in love. If I am suspected over there, Kirue can speak as a witness and state the facts. I can also prove with a doctor's diagnosis that I am no longer a maiden.

Shera said that with pride and confidence.

Oh, by the way, the nights with Shera are basically one to one, but recently Aslin's group started mixing in.

Just like Labiris, she is like a sister for Aslin and Philia. But I feel like they aren't close enough to be allowed to spend the night together yet.

(Yuki) \(\text{As for this matter I'll proceed with the usual dummy setup... I'll head to Galtz with the doppelganger. Shera and Kirue will have to learn how to use a Doppelganger. Well I've spoken about the schedule, but the rating of the small Dungeons has been prolonged beyond what I had imagined and there's also the inspection from Rochelle. We can't advance this schedule until those have wrapped up. \(\text{J} \)

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(Shera) \(\Gamma\) What do you mean by the usual dummy? \(\Gamma\) (Riel) \(\Gamma\) Yuki-san's real body... Seems that he will be leaving it here...... \(\Gamma\) (Philia) \(\Gamma\) O-onii-chan please entrust your body to us!! \(\Gamma\) (Aslin) \(\Gamma\) I'll take responsibility for nii-sama's body and I'll look after him!! \(\Gamma\) (Labiris4) Anth: never forget about Labiris, she's always watching \(\Gamma\) \(\Gamma\)...... Kusuh. \(\Gamma\)
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Are, I have the feeling that the aura around the girls has changed.

Even if Lilith said Because there is various female partners, I will help you reinforce your energy and various other things. JShe only gave me a boost to my fighting skills for night battles......

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(Yuki)<sup>Γ</sup>...... Eto, can it be while I have my consciousness...]

(Philia)<sup>Γ</sup>It's fine!! Even if onii-chan is sleeping, we will feel good!!]

(Aslin)<sup>Γ</sup>Desu!! Because nii-sama is always charging around, it's our turn!!]

(Labiris)<sup>Γ</sup>...... Fufufufufu]
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...... Yes. It looks like it may be more troublesome than the negotiation with the countries.

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Afterword of the author

I think it is difficult to grasp because there is various things to do, so I will try to talk about it another time.

Chapter 88 - Dungeon Rating, The Results

Side: Yuki

Today is the day the results of the Dungeons assessments will be announced. With this out of the way, we will be able to move on to the negotiations with Galtz.

(Grand Master) Now then, I apologize for having all the representatives gather. Yesterday was the end of the Dungeons' ratings. J

Before me stands the big boss of the Adventurer Guild, the Grandmaster.

(Grand Master) \(\Gamma\) am truly sorry for the time It took, nearly three weeks, far exceeding the schedule. \(\J\)

The Grand Master lowers his head deeply.

(Ellis) No I don't mind, was there a problem? J

Ellis seems to care about any inadequacy of the Dungeons.

Well, if the time goes past the schedule of two weeks, you would certainly be worried.

(Grand Master) \(\text{No}, \) there weren't any problems as such. It took more time to confirm that the presented information was not wrong. Originally, Dungeons are investigated by manual searching. Information regarding a Dungeon is very valuable. We did it diligently and we have confirmed that it is all true.

(Ellis) Hmmm. does that mean that our informations is correct provided no unforeseen circumstances occur?

(Grand Master) We certainly had to check that the information is correct and particularly whether or not the monsters on the lower level don't come to the upper level. J

It certainly is necessary work.

(Grand Master) [Well, since the team of adventurers was injured the first week, their numbers decreased so it took a while.]

By the way, it seems that the team who got beaten by the kobolds returned home after a week.

It seems that Riel's acquaintances, Orvik's party, managed to break through without problems.

(Grand Master) At present, the results of the rating are... Summarized on these sheets of paper. With this, it will be easier for me to answer... 1) Anth:

The Grand Master temporarily makes a short pause. Everyone is feeling nervous.

(Grand Master) There's no problem. With unprecedented dedication by the staff of this Dungeon's Guild, the adventurers responsible for the investigation and the manager of the Dungeon the rating process was unable to reveal any problems. I am thankful for the information regarding the maps, the monsters and their ecology. Please, the various representatives, let's get along from now on as well. \rfloor

The Grand Master said that and smiled.

Wah, everyone is cheering.

(Grand Master) Ho ho ho. I'm glad about that. Then, when are you planning on announcing her to the public?

(Yuki) \(\text{Oh, about that. She's here you know?} \)

Speaking about Shera, I move her to my side.

(Grand Master) [Umu, this is the first time I'm seeing Yuki-dono's wife since I heared about it. You are the Princess from Galtz?]

(Shera) Γ Yes, that is me. \rfloor

When he hears that, he narrows his eyes before nodding.

(Grand Master) Understood. Well, as Rochelle and Ritea are no longer the only ones with ties to this place, various things will move forward in the near future. I mean, is Galtz also going to be invited to this place?

(Yuki) Yes, for that reason, next I must go to negotiate with Galtz. You'll have to wait for two months before hearing the results. J

(Grand Master) Fumu... Then I'll hang on until then? J

(Yuki) No, it'll only take that long until it is widely known. If there is a group from the Adventurer Guild there, I see no reason you would have to wait until the information naturally spreads. However, the question is, would you bother to listen in? Just saying, but if a rough man comes along just to drag along a problem, I will punish him according to the law and if he's lucky, send him your way..... J

(Grand Master) I understand. Of course I will be able to do something about information gathering at that place. I would be in trouble if this Dungeon becomes rough. When I'll give a strict order to that area, so there'll be a screening for your potential stalkers. Regarding the ordinary adventurers, I will only do something once the negotiations with Galtz are over.

(Yuki) [If it's like that, I accept, it will become easier.]

I say that and look at Millie.

(Yuki) Please share the details with the Adventurer District representative Millie. We will soon have to start preparations regarding Galtz's negotiation.

(Millie) That sounds difficult. J

(Yuki) Well, in the end I still have to protect this town. Also, Millie. Can you give this stuff2) ranking papers to the others, so that all members know more about how the adventurers view the Dungeons. This is so that once adventurers arrive and start seriously using the Dungeons we can win some time by skipping some trial and error phases. J

(Grand Master) [Ho ho ho. You can count on me.]

(Millie) Yuki-san, you can leave it to me. That doesn't inconvenience me. J

I'm sorry I kept pushing the connection with the Adventurer's Guild to Millie recently.

Someday I'll have to show her my appreciation.

In that way, we came went back to the meeting room inside the government office.....

[Fufun, that's reasonable.]

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「Just like it should.」
「Mumumu, this evaluation......」
「Ara, are you dissatisfied with something?」
「I see, is that the result?」
「I am a bit dissatisfied. 」
「Nee nee, Labiris-chan, is this okay?」
「I don't understand very much.」
「... Geez, how should I understand this?」
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Well, seems the announcement of the result regarding the Dungeons everyone made with hard work. I wonder if it feels like getting an exam back?

(Shera) Ano, everyone, it looks fun but..... What is going on? J

(Yuki) Oh, which reminds me Shera, I didn't tell you about the Adventurer District.

(Shera) Ahh no, I know a little. As a measure to attract people to this Dungeon, it is a section aimed at gathering adventurers?

(Yuki) [... That's about it, you understood quickly.]

(Shera) I've been here for nearly 3 weeks after all. I also go to school and listen to the stories from Aslin and Philia. It's natural as your wife.

(Yuki) Don't push yourself ok? Just like Shera said, I thought it would be easy to gather people quickly thanks to them, but since we accepted refugees from Ritea, the residents have already settled quite firmly. However, the connection with the Adventurer Guild is precious, the Small Dungeons... In other words, they are genuine Dungeons and at first I was planning to make them near our Dungeon which they could travel to from our Dungeon, but eventually I decided it would be easier to just have them inside the Dungeon. J

(Shera) I understand, we can freely make as many Dungeons as we need inside here and regulate them easily. You used it effectively.

(Yuki) \(\subseteq \text{So today is the announcement of the results regarding the Dungeons we made. \(\subseteq \)

(Shera) Oh, I understand. It's reasonable then for the Grand Master to be involved. I am surprised to see that there is more than one completely owned and managed Dungeon, so is the Grand Master the one who did the rating? And so far everyone looks thrilled with the result.

(Yuki) That the gist of things.]

(Shera) Ano, did Yuki-sama make a Dungeon?]

(Yuki) Oh, I made one.]

(Shera) May I hear the evaluation of Yuki-sama's Dungeon?]

(Yuki) Eetto, wait here... This sheet.]

Dungeon of marquis Yuki.

Evaluation 10.

The detailed traps have monsters, atrocious.

Certified as the most difficult of the existing Dungeons.

Basically, this Dungeon is prohibited to enter and exit.

Yet, the Item drops on the contrary are worthwhile to balance the danger.

Currently, it's judged that this Dungeon is impossible to capture.

Fortunately, the position of this Dungeon is at the deepest part of the Dungeon District.

The discovery of the entrance is time related and also it is a cave that doesn't look like an entrance.

Even if by chance an adventurer does discover it, he has to report it immediately and further investigation is absolutely forbidden.

The two people who looked at the paper fell silent.

(Shera) [Etto, Yuki-sama, what is the purpose of this Dungeon? With this, people would rather not approach it......]

(Yuki) \(\text{No}, I \) believe that there is no problem regarding the evaluation of the Dungeon. It also fits with it's purpose. I just think that the content of the evaluation is slightly too radical. \(\text{J} \)

(Shera) May I ask for it's purpose? J

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(Yuki)^{\Gamma}It's simple. Did you know that this main Dungeon is also functional thanks to a Dungeon Core?] (Shera)^{\Gamma}Yes, that's what I had heard.]
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(Yuki) Then, what would you do if you wanted to stop this Dungeon? (Shera) There would be no other choice than to take away the Dungeon core..... The only difference here is I think the Dungeon Core inside this Dungeon is moving, so it would be difficult to find.

(Yuki) The truth is, there's an underground basement at the Inn. Won't you think it is the real thing if you found a Dungeon core there?

(Shera) That's right. I think that this Dungeon is and stays off-limits. Seriously, totally mischievous.

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Shera smiles3) Chill: So which one of them was the evil one again? .
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(Labiris) \(\subseteq \text{So Yuki, how is it?} \)

(Lutz) Nee, please look at this Onii-san, our Dungeon... J

(Riel) [1'm frustrated!! So frustrating!!]

(Philia) Conii-chan, please look!! J

Everybody gathers one after another.

This is probably going to take a while. But Galtz...

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Afterword of the author

Well, it felt slightly in a hurry.

Should I have delved more about the story with the King?

Chapter 89 - Now Off To The Negotiation

Side: Yuki

(Yuki) I'm leaving for Galtz now, please take care of the house during my absence. J

I look back and entrust the Dungeon to everyone.

(Elli) 「Yes, you can leave it to me. 」

Ellis firmly nods.

This time, we... Me, Seraria, Lulu, Shera, Kirue, Lutz, Kaya and Naruja are heading out.

It was decided that Ellis would be in charge whilst I'm gone.

Well, I judged that it would be okay because everyone's hard efforts are starting to bloom and there have been less things that need my attention

Worst case scenario, we can wake up our real bodies in the clinic.

(Yuki) Delille. If something goes wrong, you are our Ace. Please protect everyone. J

(Delille) \(\text{Umu}, \text{ thou may entrust this duty to this one. } \text{ }

It seems that Delille has more or less finished adapting herself, she's also working hard.

As for helping me with my work, she seems to be poor at handling delicate, personal and political subjects.

(Millie) Rock-san, please don't give Yuki-san any trouble okay? J

(Rock) I know that, because if I do anything to the Princesses's husband, they would separate my head from my torso.]

Rock-san will be helping with the Guild's negotiations and relations.

At the end of a hard days work, we have meals together at the bar or similar, but well anything beyond that and his neck would fly.

Since I can't afford to drag the Grand Master around on our journey, the Guild Master Rock-san will be coming with us.

As soon as we open the Dungeon Gate, the Grand Master will also come.

Speaking of him, the Grand Master has returned to Ritea along with the other adventurers a few days ago.

He said \[\text{How convenient} \] and quickly became accustomed to the lifestyle here, incredible for a jii-san.

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(Tori) Γ Kaya please protect everyone. ]

(Riel) Γ Please protect them for me!! ]

(Kaya) Γ... I don't think it is needed to be honest. ]
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Tori and Riel are sending Kaya off with words of encouragement.

It's normal to have escorts when dealing with VIPs, well with this number of people we should go unnoticed1) Chill: right because you totally gonna be low profile with your uber car Face: I'd buy the marauder if I could too. Idk if it's street legal though, isn't there the Doppelgangers as well? Their highly leveled too so aren't we safe?

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(Aslin) Take care Shera-chan. J

(Philia) Kirue-ane-sama too. J

(Labiris) ...... For the both of them, please come back safely. J

(Kirue) It's all right. I will return. J

(Shera) Philia-sama, thank you for your concern. Labiris-sama as well, I hope they won't cry while I am away... plea... se... J

(Labiris) ... If you worry too much it would be a problem... J

(Kirue) ... I can't leave Shera-sama's side, but... J
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Kirue is hugging Aslin and Philia, Mou she's doting on them too much. However, they were pushed to the point of wanting to stay... You can't look down on the two small children.

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(Naruja) Then I'm off... Kovil, please follow through on what we agreed on. J

(Kovil) Eh, then I certainly will. BuuuBuuu2) SFX for wrong answer; basically says I won't and you can't force me to :3. J
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(Naruja) Is that so, I think your wages need reconsidering. So what's it going

to be?」

(Kovil) [I will work diligently, honest! Seriously honest!!]

This is as usual.

Naruja-san the elder fairy and representative of her tribe, said that in the Dungeon The fairies would not make any problems.

Because she has the fairies wrapped around her middle finger, her tribe seems to be completely independent. She's doing a good job.

(Ellis) Lutz, don't overwork yourself okay? J

(Lutz) That's my line, Ellis. Since I have subordinates stepping in for the accounting, who are former member from the government office, the role that I'm abandoning should be covered, but the trade association will probably be troublesome. Please call me the moment you run into any serious problems. J

(Ellis) [I know.]

Lutz is joining us as the representative for the distribution of the Dungeon's goods and it's logistics.

I fully intend to make use of talented personnel I have gathered and cultivated. It would be time-consuming to go back and forth, so in this single trip... I want to receive permission to create a gate with the Dungeon publicly.

Though i would like to avoid it, if that's not possible, I'll make it in secret.

(Herge) Chii ane-sama, Lulu-sama, I hope that you're successful... J

(Seraria) Leave it to me. Herge too, do your best. J

(Lulu) Herge-sama, please take good care of the hospital while I am away J

Seraria and Lulu are exchanging words with Herge.

The two are coming along to testify that Rochelle and Ritea are involved with this Dungeon.

Both carry heavy words from their respective countries and since I will be meeting Galtz for the first time, I am grateful that they are accompanying me, for various reasons.

After everyone finished their departing words, we set off.

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(Seraria) 「..... Boring nee. 」
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(Yuki) Do you want to join the others in the back? J

I retort to Seraria's comment while driving.

Because of the number of people, Kaya and Lutz wanted to have a run to stretch their legs, so Lutz is practicing driving the Marauder.

In my car there's Seraria, Shera, Kirue, Lulu and myself.

In the other are Lutz, Kaya, Naruja, Rock and Kur.

Ah, Kur is coming along because Seraria is going to another country and even if she's using a fake body, we still need to appear as if we need bodyguards.

Because she is an elite bodyguard, that part should be covered.

But why is she in a different car than Seraria?

She said it wasn't a problem because Kirue is in our car and because Yukisama's wives naturally also need guarding.

-Seraria) Trump3) Trump is a card game nee... Is that what you are playing? J

Seraria the rear seaters that.

(Kirue) Now... Yes it's a 9. It is a feint. J

(Shera) [.... Then 10.]

(Kirue) [It is still fake. Shera-sama.]

(Shera) [Ku!?]

From the conversation, it seems that Shera's feints are splendidly undone.

(Shera) How did you realize Kirue? J

(Kirue) \(\text{Shera-sama} \) is completely calm when she tells a lie, too calm. You reveal absolutely nothing, which in turn is information that you are hiding something. \(\text{J} \)

(Shera) Th-that's sly. J

(Kirue) Well, it only works because I understand you so well... Speaking of which, we will soon face off against your father and siblings for the negotiations. These cards are a good way to practice, let's do our best4) don't you mean "do your worst!" :3 . Read the opponent's gestures and facial expressions and try to perceive the opponent's hand. It's going to be a necessary skill for Shera-sama very soon.

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(Shera) [I-I won't lose!! ]
  (Kirue) That's the spirit!
  (Lulu) Well, well, it was trump, Seraria-sama J
  Lulu is slightly restraining her words, but both of them somehow seem to be
blazing with competitive drive, maybe it's getting a little too serious.
  (Seraria) If I mix in with them, I think I will suffocate. J
  (Yuki) Yeah, that might really happen. J
  (Seraria) Are Lutz and Kaya keeping up alright? J
  (Yuki) Yes, look at the mirror on the side... When you look through it, it
redirects where you're looking at. J
 (Seraria) Ch, wow. It's a really useful vehicle. J
  (Yuki) Just a moment... Let's call Lutz. J
 (Lutz) Yes yes, onii-san do you need something?
  (Yuki) No, I'm just checking in to see if everything is ok on your end. J
 (Lutz) Honestly it's getting boring. Everyone in the back seems to be playing
card games. I want to try too. 1
 (Yuki) [In your car as well huh. ]
  (Lutz) Oya, over there too?
  Like that we have a little small-talk.
  (Seraria) Nee Lutz, are you the one driving now or Kaya? J
 (Seraria) Ara, driving and talking at the same time how skillful5) So when they
do it, it's skillful huh... . ]
  (Lutz) No, I only have to push a button to answer the call.
 (Seraria) How amusing, I am bored too. J
 (Lutz) Huum yes. Although the car is fast it will still take us about 3 days
right?』
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(Seraria) [Well, it is hard to do it in one day. ]

(Lutz) [If you can't find a way to kill time on a regular basis, you should leave things to your doppel and relax in the Dungeon. ]

(Seraria) [I want to avoid that. It's a pleasant outing. ]

(Lutz) [... That's right. I think so too. ]

About that, to kill time huh.

Is there something convenient for it?

(Yuki) [Oh, I can't think about anything immediately, so what kind of country is Galtz?]

It's a good way to kill time, discussing the characteristics of Galtz.

(Seraria) [Galtz is it... ]

(Lutz) [Ah I have never been to the Royal Capital of Galtz so ..... ]

(Kaya) [I have heard that their wheat is delicious. ]
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(Lutz) Oh, in that case I have heard that too. Galtz has some kind of unique cultivation method for growing them...

(Seraria) Which reminds me, frequently wheat's included in products traded from Galtz. The taste of their bread is excellent... Well.. J

(Lutz) It doesn't match the lightness of the Dungeon's breads.

(Yuki) Fumu, if we buy their wheat, then maybe we can combine their taste with our texture, right? Maybe we should try automating it if that works.]

(Lutz) Oh, that's a good idea. Simply by putting the wheat inside a machine it becomes soft, we could probably develop this machine with Naruja and make it ourselves. Mass production is also a possibility.

(Yuki) If it comes with a unique flavor, suitable to everyone's palate, wouldn't it become a lead item in our trading?

(Lutz) Right. I'll make some notes on our next break.

While we're talking about such things, the two cars that are in the wrong era advance.

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Afterword of the author
From now on, Galtz!!
The things to wait for in Galtz!!
Will they survive!!
No, don't say that they're fakes.